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WAR CLOUDS ARE PASSING

Turko-Italian Dispute May Be Settled.

MORE OPTIMISTIC VIEW NOW TAKEN

Turkey Wants Sovereignty Recognized.

Most Serious Situation Now Centers in Tripoli, Where Native Turks Have Armed Themselves and Are Ready To Take the Field—Italian Merchants Are Fleeing the Country, Fearing Reprisals.

London, Sept. 27.—Despite optimistic views on the continent where it is believed the Turko- Italian dispute growing out of the control of Tripoli will be settled on a basis of recognition of Turkey's sovereignty and Italy's economic rights, anti-war policies at Lloyd's advanced sharply today They are selling at the enormous hazard of forty per cent This is due to the free admission at Constantinople that Italy's note that any augmentation of the Turkish forces there will be considered as an act of hostility is considered by all officialdom as an ultimatum, violation of which will result in a declaration of war by Italy.

In Tripoli, the situation is most serious. The native Turks have armed themselves and organized independent companies which are drilling both night and day. All of the gunsmiths have disposed of their stocks and there is not an able-bodied native who is not ready to take the field against Italy.

Italians Flee Country.

Most of the Italian merchants, whose aggression has resulted in the present situation, have fled the country fearing reprisals.

The general strike has not materialized in the Italian provinces, but the Socialist leaders declare every union man in the cities is ready to obey the word as soon as directed to quit his employment. The majority of the newspapers deplore the suggestion of an anti-military demonstration under present conditions and pressure is being brought to bear on the Socialist leaders to have the suggestion abandoned.

One thing that has angered Italian people is the statement from Constantinople that in case of war Italian subjects will not be permitted to leave the country, but will be detained as hostages. This action, it is claimed here, is in violation of all international usage.

View of Ferrero.

Rome, Sept. 27.—That there is a serious question whether Tripoli will prove worth fighting for as a colonial possibility was admitted in a statement prepared exclusively for the United Press today by Guglielmo Ferrero, the famous Italian historian whose 'Greatness and Decadence of Rome' ranks as one of the greatest modern historical works.

All that can be done, he said, was not intended either as an argument for or against occupation of Tripoli, but merely a note of warning to the impulsiveness and enthusiastic expectations of the Italian people at a time when they seem bent on forcing their government to begin a system of colonial expansion similar to that of France and Germany.

The statement follows:

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A people is at liberty to choose or not to choose when it wants colonies. If it chooses to want them and seeks to found them, there can be proposed no other means save to occupy territory that is still poor, that is still semi-empty, or that for a long time has been semi-barbarous, for the purpose of attempting to augment its value, investing in it wisely, the capital necessary to bring it about. Territory already rich, developed and blossoming can only be found in countries of an older civilization. The profit therefore, of a colonial undertaking can only be measured according to the probability of the territory, which is to be made the object of the undertaking, easily and rapidly increasing and growing in value.

But this is a problem that in the majority of instances human wisdom has been impotent to solve. There are few things that history can not demonstrate to man, but in the failures of predictions for states and territories it can All surprises are possible as are also all delusions, in the infinite changing of human vicissitudes, the aspirations, the ideals and the needs of humanity.

An Example.

Two centuries ago, for example, in the new countries, the hot territories had a greater value than those in a more temperate zone. But a century later when there came all the grand industrials and all the mechanical inventions of modern civilization, the value of the former had declined, while the value of the latter had increased.

A century ago the immense plains in which Argentine sows its cereals and reaps such great masses of riches, were only a desert and without value But the overflow of European population, the growing demand for cereals, the progress of navigation and the railroad, has converted in fifty years the desert into an Eldorado.

All of this merely goes to show that in a colonial policy, as in all other things human, much depends upon good fortune, while the element of time is also one of the most important elements of success. The only sure rule, then, for a state to follow if it wishes to inaugurate and carry out a colonial policy is to take that which it can without excessive cost and danger and then to wait.

It is not possible to make a colonial empire bear fruit like a vast plain already fully established; but it is necessary that it be allowed to fructify according to the circumstances, following the current of the times, and keeping always well in mind that human fortunes are perennially moving and changing; that in the world nothing is stable and eternal, not even the value of territory; not even the power of the state; not even the greatness of the people.

Davis Reprieved.

Columbus, O., Sept. 27.—Thomas Davis, colored, Circleville murderer, sentenced to be electrocuted Friday, has been granted a reprieve by Governor Harmon until December 15.

TRAMP COMETS NEARING EARTH

Two Unexpected Celestial Visitors Appear.

THE OBSERVERS ARE CONFOUNDED

One Sky Traveler May Be Halley's Comet.

Astronomers Are Confronted with a Puzzle as to Whether Comets Now Seen in Heavens Are Previous Visitors or New Ones—Many Theories Are Advanced by Those Who Study Stars.

Washington, Sept. 27. — Two comets are approaching the earth, according to the savants at the United States naval observatory, and neither bears tags for purposes of identification. Moreover, the astronomers are not exactly certain as to the courses the celestial vagrants are taking.

"Where are you going, my pretty comet?" one of the savants is said to have asked. And of course, the comet is reported as replying that she was bound for the milky way.

Nevertheless, the observers here in common with those throughout the world, are trying to identify the sky tramps as previous visitors. But their task seems to be beset with a multitude of difficulties, chief among which is the fact that no comet is due. If the two now coming toward earth are old friends, they are returning off their schedule.

This condition of affairs has led some to advance a theory, which, if proven, will be a blow to astronomers of note. It will be a knockout jab that will make them see more than the ordinary kind of stars. For this theory is that Halley's comet is now advancing; that the comet which all the world watched a year and a half ago was not Halley's at all. No astronomer will admit that such is the case. But there are many who believe it.

One of the new comets is known now as Brooks' comet. It is said to be swooping toward the earth at an enormous rate. It can be seen plainly with the naked eye It will pass nearest to the sun some time next month.

The comet was photographed Monday night by J E Gould, professor of astronomy at the University of Washington. Observers who examined the comet through a telescope declared that it has sprouted a tail, described fifteen degrees.

The comet is visible to the naked eye, appearing as a pale star, surrounded by a phosphorescent cloud. Viewed through a small telescope or strong glasses, the tail is visible. To a casual observer, the comet appears to be approaching that part of the heavens in which the big dipper is seen.

The second comet was discovered by Professor Quinisset of Juvicy, according to a cablegram received from Keil observatory. The comet was first seen by Quinisset September 23 in right ascension, fourteen hours twenty-four minutes and forty-six seconds and declination plus seventy-five degrees and four minutes The daily motion is three degrees southwest, and the comet can be seen through an opera glass.

TAFT TALKS TO WAR VETERANS

Fully 40,000 Persons Listen to Address.

TOPEKA CHILDREN CHEER PRESIDENT

Arbitration Treaties Discussed by Executive.

"To You Men Who Know the Agony of Mothers and Daughters Bereft of Loved Ones on Battlefields, I Appeal for Support of Steps We Are Taking for Peace," Says the President Today.

Topeka, Kas., Sept. 27.—President Taft today entered the regular district, which is the home of Senator Curtis. Kansas politicians today were certain that Senator Bristow, La Follette's leader in the state, in his speech at Hutchinson yesterday, served notice on the president that the insurgents will go on "seeking the right in their own way."

Senator Curtis, Governor Stubbs and Republican National Committeeman Mulvane, who traveled with the president today, made big political medicine. Curtis and Stubbs frankly flirted for Taft's support against each other for the senatorship. Mulvane worked to strengthen the Taft machine in the state. Bristow conferred with his insurgent lieutenants along the way.

The president played his sixth breakfast performance on the country club circuit today, the Topeka Country club rounding out the half dozen.

The dedication of a memorial flagpole, a parade, a cornerstone laying and a speech were on his program here where he was the guest of the state G. A. R encampment.

Addresses Veterans.

Atchison and Leavenworth, where the president will appear today, will complete his visit in Kansas.

When Taft reached the stand before the state capitol a crowd of some 40,000 persons filled the spacious capitol grounds. It was the biggest crowd that the president has talked to on the trip and he stood on top of a table to enable more of the throng to hear him. Four thousand school children were ranged on the capitol steps behind him.

A blazing sun beat down upon the president's head and shone directly in his eyes. He talked of the bloody history of Kansas and reviewed the war, talking to the Grand Army veterans, who made up a great part of the big crowd. The president said that the problems of the country today looked "light and easy" compared to those the nation faced after the civil war.

"I appeal to those men who know what the bloody honor of war is," said the president, "to you men who know the agony of mothers and daughters bereft of loved ones on the battlefield, I appeal for support of the steps we are taking toward peace."

The president reviewed the situation of the arbitration treaties.

A DELAWARE MAN ATTACKS MOTHER

Also Beats Up Father and Sister in a Quarrel.

Delaware, O., Sept. 27.—Not content with beating the face of his aged father, Saturday evening, and furious because the assault was reported to the county authorities, Charles Waters, aged thirty-five, returned to his home in Leonardsburg Monday night and attacked his aged mother and an invalid sister. Waters is said to have knocked his sister down with an apple and to have struck his mother in the face with a quince, hard as a brickbat, breaking her teeth and badly battering up her face. Afraid to interfere, Waters' wife looked on at the assault, and a neighbor, who heard the shrieks of pain, alone interfered to prevent further injury. Prosecuting Attorney Williams took out a warrant yesterday, charging Waters with assault with intent to kill his father, Benjamin F. Waters, and he was bound over to the grand jury.

DISMISSED MAN TO FIGHT CHARGE

Former Lieutenant Lays Blame on Enlisted Men.

Kalamazoo, Mich., Sept 27.—According to Dr. Alfred I. Noble, superintendent of the Kalamazoo state hospital, the man claiming to be George A. Kimmel of Niles, may be some person laboring under the delusion that he is the real Kimmel.

"It is quite a common thing," said Dr. Noble, "in the treatment of insanity cases to find similar conditions to the Kimmel case. The deluded one always firmly believes that he is the person he claims to be."

MYSTERY OVER IDENTITY OF "GEORGE A. KIMMEL" STILL UNSOLVED

Left: "SAM" QUIMBY
Centre: GEORGE A. KIMMEL,
Right: MRS CHARLES MONTAGUE NIECE WHO IDENTIFIES KIMMEL AS HER UNCLE.
GEORGE A. KIMMEL AS HE IS TO-DAY.
GEORGE A. KIMMEL AS A YOUNG MAN

The strange controversy over the identity of "George A. Kimmel," who represents himself to be a man long supposed to be dead, is as deep a mystery as ever. Mrs. Estella Kimmel, whom "George A. Kimmel" claims as mother, denies that he is her son and declares that "Kimmel" is impersonating her son merely to deprive her of the $25,000 insurance which she is soon to receive. On the other hand, there are dozens of residents of Niles, Mich., the Kimmel homestead, who are positive that this man of mystery is the real George A. Kimmel. Among these is Mrs. Charles Montague, a niece, who identified "Kimmel" as her uncle.

EXTRA SESSION TALK RENEWED

Harmon Willing Under Certain Conditions

REAPPORTIONMENT BILL CONSIDERED

The Legislators Must Confine Themselves to It.

Governor Says Solons Must Agree in Advance on Measure and Exclude All Other Matters While in Special Session, Should He Decide To Call It—Session Would Not Require More Than Three Days.

Columbus, O., Sept. 27.—If the Democratic members of the legislature will agree in advance on a congressional reapportionment bill and will confine themselves to such a bill, to the exclusion of all other matters while in session, Governor Harmon will call a special session of the legislature.

This, at least, was the talk today in the conference at the Neil House, in which Senator Dean, of Sandusky county, representative Fulton, of Licking county, representing Democratic legislators and Congressman Allen, of the Second district, Cocke, of the Fourth, and Anderson, of the Thirteenth, representing Ohio's sixteen Democratic congressmen participated.

The congressional committee takes the position that it is not incumbent on Ohio's Democratic congressmen to take the initiative in the movement for a special session. However, the congressmen said they were reflecting the sentiment of national Democratic leaders when they pointed out that the Ohio Democracy will be censured if it permits the next congressional election to be held under the present Republican gerrymander, and it then happens that the Republicans secure control of congress by a very few votes. Under the present gerrymander only four of the twenty-one districts in Ohio are safely Democratic, whereas the leaders insist they are entitled to at least ten sure districts in the light of recent election returns. It is said that Senators Dean and Fulton will try to have their committees agree on a reapportionment bill and then a Democratic caucus of all members of the legislature will be called and asked to ratify it

Under such conditions, the governor is expected to issue the call

With only a reapportionment bill to pass, the special session would not require more than three or four days.

Thirteen Killed.

Paris, Sept. 27.- Thirteen Bodies have been recovered and ten other persons are supposed to have been drowned today when an automobile bus leaped from a bridge into the Seine The cause is not known.

Metal Market.

New York, Sept 27.--Metals closed dull. Spot copper 11.80@11.90. Lead 4.45@4.55.

Pittsburgh—Self-supporting students of the Carnegie Technical school earned $120,000 during the last summer.

CRUCIFIED BY MEXICAN REDS

Many Suffer Death in State of Chiapas.

HORRIBLE TALE IS TOLD BY MEXICANS

Fanatical Indians Enjoy Gruesome Sport.

Savages Pitch Babes High in the Air and Catch Them on the Point of Lances as They Fall—Women Are Mistreated and Men Killed by the Most Barbarous Methods—The Details.

Mexico City, Sept. 27.—From the far away state of Chiapas comes the report of a man having suffered the fate of the malefactors of antiquity at the hands of fanatical Indians, who are terrorizing a vast district in that part of Mexico.

Wenceslo Franco, a resident of Acala, a small town in the Chiapas, was crucified by the rebellious Chamula Indians when they sacked that place last Saturday, according to telegrams received by El Imparcial last night from Tuxtla Gutierrez, the state capital.

Franco's wife and others, who brought the story of the crucifixion to Tuxtla Gutierrez, also told tales of horrible barbarities committed by the half-savage hordes in Chiapas. Women and children have suffered most, the savages making gruesome sport of pitching the babes high in the air and catching them on their lances.

A leader of one of the fanatical mobs was a priest, who himself was killed.

Franco's wife was stabbed seven times and left for dead.

Semi-officially it is stated a military governor, probably General Jose de la Luz Blanco, of revolutionary fame, will be sent to Chiapas to restore order.

Another uprising reported Tuesday night is led by a man called "Nayarith" in the territory of Tepic.

Emiliano Zapata and Andres Almazan, the rebels who have been terrorizing the southern part of Morelos and a part of Puebla, have sent a leter to General Huerta, in Chietla, Puebla, asking on what terms their surrender will be accepted

MODERN "RIP" MAY BE DELUDED MAN

Dr. Noble Says "Kimmel" May Not Be the Real One.

Niles, Mich., Sept. 27.--Roy C. Smith, former lieutenant on the gunboat, Saratoga, who was recently dismissed from the navy, arrived home here yesterday and today issued a statement in which he denied that the charges against him were as serious as reported and said he was going to Washington soon to take his case up with the department.

"The charges against me were brought by several enlisted men on the Saratoga against whom I had made reports," said Smith.

"These do not involve women or are they of the Admiral Barry type. My resignation was not demanded. I intend to go to Washington in a short time and present my case to the department."

JUDGE'S DEGREE HITS DIVORCED

Chicago Jurist Boosts Movement of Taft.

BLOW IS AIMED AT RENO RULINGS

The Decision Is Regarded as a Vital One.

Judge Decides That a Reno, Nevada, Divorce Is Invalid in Chicago. Case Involves Validity of Thousands of Marriages, Raises Question of Legitimacy of Children and Jeopardizes Property Rights.

Chicago, Sept. 27.—Attorneys who examined the decision rendered late yesterday, by Judge A. J. Petit, in which he held that a Reno, Nevada, divorce was invalid in Chicago, today declared the finding the biggest boost yet given to the movement, recently espoused by President Taft, for uniform state divorce laws.

Lawyers who have examined Judge Petit's decision say it will stand in the highest courts, being merely the application of a general ruling already promulgated by the supreme court of the United States.

The decision is regarded as a vital one, in so far as it involves the validity of thousands of marriages, raises the question of the legitimacy of many children, and places property rights in jeopardy. The case was that of Louisa McGrath against James J. McGrath, both of Chicago. Mrs. McGrath sued her husband, a civil engineer, for separate maintenance. He answered that he was no longer her husband, having been divorced in Reno, Nevada. Admitting Judge Petit said, that McGrath had observed all the Nevada laws in securing the divorce, his divorce could not be countenanced in Illinois, because he had set up residence in Nevada only to secure the decree. McGrath has already remarried.

BLUE AND THE GRAY MINGLE IN SOUTH

Veterans of Both Sides March Side by Side in Memphis.

Memphis, Tenn., Sept. 27.—Grand Army of the Republic veterans representing states from Maine to California today marched side by side with surviving veterans of the confederate army, in the parade which marked the opening of the first national reunion of the blue and the gray.

Governor Hooper, of Tennessee, and his staff, received visits all morning at headquarters. Former Governor Van Sant, of Minnesita, was among the first G. A. R. veterans to arrive.

A barbecue at the state fairground under the supervision of Jefferson Shields "Stonewall" Jackson's civil war cook, is on the program for this afternoon.

Just One Handicap.

Rye, N. Y., Sept. 27.—Bearded men and gray, some even bald-headed start in the seventh annual senior golf tournament at Apawamis club, today The only handicap was an age limit—fifty-five years.

WIFE BARTERED TO MILLIONAIRE

Woman Who Slays Husband Makes Charge.

SHE TOURS EUROPE WITH HER BUYER

Then Comes Home and Shooting Follows.

Wife Declares She Shoots in Self Defense When Husband, Who Had Sold Her to Chicagoan, Demands She Turn Over All Her Possessions to Him—Makes Charges in Denver Cell.

Denver, Sept. 27.—"My husband sold me for $1,500 to Emil W. Strouss, of Chicago, three months after we were married."

Mrs. Gertrude Gibson Patterson, who Monday shot and killed her husband, Charles A. Patterson, formerly a Chicago broker, made this frank statement of causes leading up to the tragedy yesterday. She was in the matron's room at the county jail. She appears less concerned about the outcome of her act upon herself than the effect it may have on the wedding plans of her sister, who is to be married Thanksgiving day to a wealthy St. Louis man.

It is supposed that the killing was in revenge for her husband's suit against Strouss, a millionaire Chicago clothing manufacturer, for $35,000 for alienating her affections. Mrs. Patterson, Tuesday, made the following remarkable statement:

"My husband, Charles A. Patterson, sold me to Emil Strouss three months after I was married to him. I went abroad with Mr. Strouss and remained in Europe for a short time.

Cash Consideration.

"There was a cash consideration of $1,500 between my husband and Mr. Strouss. Mr. Strouss paid my husband that sum with the understanding that I should travel with Mr. Strouss, and that neither he nor I should have to answer any questions put by my husband later. My husband used that agreement as a weapon with which to extort money from Mr. Strouss from the day it was made. He even made me pay him hush money.

"My husband worked only two months out of the three years of our married life. When I depended upon him for support, I have been in actual want.

"Patterson devoted his time and attention to football and baseball and depended upon me for his support. I kept a boarding house in Chicago and he slept half the day and drank through the greater part of the night. He associated with men engaged in the white slave traffic. During his serious illness with pneumonia, I nursed him night and day until my strength gave out.

Cares for Husband.

"Patterson knew I had not seen Strouss since I came back from Europe on the trip to which he had given his consent for a money consideration. When Patterson's health failed, and he was obliged to come to Denver, I came with him and took care of him

"I was willing at all times to look after him and nurse him. During the months that my husband worked after we were married, his pastime was beating me before he left the house in the morning and again when he returned at night. He telephoned me Saturday night to make an engagement for Monday morning. I learned Sunday from a married sister living in Chicago that Patterson had filed suit against Strouss. He met me Monday and agreed to withdraw the complaint, on condition that I should deed to him all my possessions. Then came the quarrel and his attack on me. I shot him in self-defense."

Up to the Jury.

Denver, Col., Sept. 27.—That Charles A. Patterson, the Chicago broker, shot and killed by his wife, Gertrude G. Patterson, Monday, never owned a gun; that Mrs. Patterson had a revolver in her handbag when she called for her husband that a patient in the sanitarium can tell where Mrs. Patterson secured the revolver, and that Patterson had often expressed to his room mates fear of his wife, were points expected to develop at the inquest this afternoon.

The verdict rendered by the coroner's jury will determine whether Mrs. Patterson will have to stand trial for her life. Her defense rests almost wholly upon the ability of her counsel to prove that the gun was in the possession of the husband when the couple met. Mrs. Patterson will not attend the inquest. The district attorney's office will not act until the coroner's jury has returned a verdict.

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Stubbs.

Made Three Speeches.

The president made three speeches. In the first, at Lawrence, to the students of the University of Kansas, he spoke on the work of the Y. M. C. A. in university and took occasion to condemn the work of Mr. Crane, who used as detective to expose the moral weaknesses of Harvard students. He said that he had no patience with such an investigation and that information like that would had to be dug up with a spade, had a great deal better be left beneath the sod.

The president dined with peculiar company. He was the guest of W. C. Markham, a prominent local politician, and at the table sat the president, Senator Bristow, Governor Stubbs and Senator Curtis, and greater extremes than these would be hard to find. The principal speech of the day was delivered by the president at the academy exercises in the afternoon, the subject being peace and arbitration. It was unbearably hot in the hall, and outside of the students and faculty most of the audience was in their shirt sleeves. They were a typical Kansas audience and followed the president's argument closely.

In one of his speeches at St Louis President Taft put forth the suggestion of a wider power of impeachment as a substitute for the more radical proposal for a judiciary recall. He also admitted that the tariff board is not what he desire for it has schedules, and proposed that congress pass a law providing for a permanent tariff commission.

PEN GATES CLOSE ON MICHAEL LEE

Columbus Police Nab Mt. Vernon Fugitive from Justice.

Columbus, O., Sept. 25. — After eluding the officers for several weeks, Michael Lee, former political worker and well-known resident of Mt. Vernon, was caught in a local tenement house and a few hours later was a prisoner in the Ohio penitentiary.

Lee was sentenced to serve five years for his alleged participation in the poisoning of a witness. The court gave him a five-year sentence but suspended it, which aroused the people to protest. The suspension was pending good behavior, but Lee could not live up to the mark. When the judge ordered him taken into custody he could not be found. He was pursued through several counties in central Ohio.

When notified of his arrest here the sheriff of Knox county came to Columbus with commitment papers and immediately took Lee to the big prison.

TUBERCULOSIS IS THE CAUSE OF DEATH

Julius Martin Dies at Home at Owens.

Julius Martin, colored, who has been employed in the John D. Owens & Son quarries at Owens, of the famous Socialist. At the this summer, died at that place Friday night, of tuberculosis. He from the Ohio penitentiary to the same to Owens from Columbus.

The scenes of excitement that followed the explosion have never been equaled in the history of the navy here. Just before the first explosion the alarm that the fire was dangerous had spread through the fleet and to the naval officers on shore. The bugles, replaced with fire-fighting apparatus, had started for the naval anchorage to aid in getting the fire under control when the first explosion came. It was not of any great strength but was enough to indicate to the experts on shore that the big warship, the pride of the service, was probably doomed.

When the big magazine finally let go, the concussion was so severe that hundreds of people on the docks were knocked off their feet.

Members of the crew of the ill-fated warship who were waiting to be taken aboard, hurried to the office of the port commandant and ask to be sent out to see if they could discover and rescue any of their comrades. By order of the port commandant the doors of the yard and naval arsenal were closed and information refused until the officials of the navy department in Paris could be communicated with.

Accepted as Exit Dream.

Paris, Sept. 25. — Stunned by France's latest disaster, the loss of the magnificent fighting ship, Liberte, while peacefully swaying at her anchors in the roadstead at Toulon, the minister of marine and his assistants took immediate steps to aid the families of the victims and fasten upon the responsibility for the disaster.

Minister of Marine Delcasse, who broke into all of the compartment doors, ning light two of the famous torpedo minister of marine believes that it broke out in a store room adjacent to the after-magazine and was caused by a short circuit in the lighting wire.

Giant Ship Shaken.

The fire alarm was sounded and the on the watch on deck rushed to fight the flames while the officer of the deck ordered all hands to their posts. As the ball-and-bar figures rushed to their positions for fire drill, there came a slight explosion which shook the structure of the giant warship.

Instantly, flames seemed to break out all over the after-quarter of the warship. Two other explosions followed at minute intervals and with the third the flames spouted mast high.

By their light the officers and men of the warship could be seen at their posts vainly trying to keep the fire back from the main magazines of the warships which were filled with tons of explosives.

Suddenly, just as the other vessels of the fleet and the fire tugs from the yard were heading toward the blazing warship, there came a detonation of terrific force which shook the waters of the harbor with the force of a tidal wave and crashed into atoms thousands of lights of glass in the dockyards adjoining.

The big warship seemed to break in a dozen pieces, while the force of the explosion was so great that a giant hole was torn in the steel board side of the warship. Republique, anchored broadside to the Liberte.

As the smoke cleared away, it was seen that the Liberte had been totally destroyed, although the hulk was still above the water.

A NUMBER OF DISASTERS IN THE FRENCH NAVY HAVE OCCURRED SINCE YEAR 1906

October, 1906 Submarine, Lutin, lost, thirteen dead.

February 8, 1907—Explosion torpedo boat, No. 329, nine killed.

February 19, 1907—Big cruiser, Jean Bart, completely wrecked off African coast; all on board saved.

March 12, 1907—Explosion wrecked battleship, Iena, in Toulon harbor. 107 officers and men perished.

August 13, 1908 Gun exploded on schoolship, Couronne, six lost.

September 23, 1908—Gun exploded on board the cruiser, La Touche Treville, at Toulon, thirteen dead.

May 27, 1910 Submarine, Pluviose, sunk in Calais harbor, twenty-seven perished.

September 20, 1911 —Gun exploded on the cruiser, Gloire at Toulon, fourteen dead.

In addition, there have been so many fires and accidents at the Toulon navy yard that an official investigation has been held to determine the responsibility. The result of this was never permitted to become public.

RETURNING RIP STILL STIRS CITY

The People of Niles Settle Down to Await Developments.

Niles, Mich., Sept. 25.—The people of Niles settled down today to await developments in the mysterious Kimmel case, which has thoroughly stirred this little town. Rumors of sensational developments to be expected this week are being thick and fast, but nothing definite as to their nature can be learned.

Kimmel returned yesterday from a trip to Berrien Springs, where he caused the same stir as he did here. Some of the old residents are positive he is the true George A Kimmel, while others assert just as positively that he is an impostor. He proved to some people as old-time friends, while he failed to recognize others.

Today, Kimmel stated that he would not attempt again to see Mrs. Stella Kimmel, whom he calls mother. He says she has betrayed his confidence.

As people get older they can have a good time without making a fuss about it.

Thought He Had Time.

"I thought I had plenty of time to cross the street," said the tramp, addressed Peter Bandon, who has returning with his guests of the evening, "and when I started to go down the left on the far side of the track I was so sure the train was still a considerable distance away that I even checked the horses to go down the incline slowly. Then the train tore off the wagon just back of the driver's seat."

Maybe the fast passenger train was being brought to a stop a couple hundred yards from the scene of the crash, one of the survivors was rushed to a fire alarm box near the grade crossing and pulled the alarm. The fire department responded with all the apparatus in the city and the injured were soon hurried to Clark hospital. Automobiles were summoned when the fire department hose wagon passed the business district.

The dead were frightfully mangled. Six corpses were taken from the pilot of the locomotive.

NAVAL AIRSHIP IS REDUCED TO JUNK

England's Dirigible Breaks in Two in Trial Flight.

London, Sept. 25.—Thirty minutes after being drawn out of its shed, the first naval airship built for the English government by Vickers Sont & Maxim, at a cost of $400,000 was reduced to a pile of junk. It is difficult to say exactly what happened. There were officials on the spot, but no information can be gained either from the Vickers concern or the admiralty. Apparently the center of the huge framework which was 512 feet long, was weak, and the pressure of a light nine-mile breeze made it part as it left the shed sure first. It lisped to keep afloat and began to wriggle like a great snake. Cracking, tearing sounds followed, and before the captain's crew could be carried out the framework broke in half. The center portion looked like the battered bellows of a concertina.

There was no actual rupture of the coverings of the hydrogen reservoirs but the gas emptied gradually. Enough of it, however, forty-nine remained to keep the two end sections afloat though it is feared that the end part will sink. The machine actually dipped, but it lifted again. As it was instantly in sight of the crew members, for a moment it was feared that the stern half would break away and sail with the crew clinging to it in the open gondola, but the gas and tackle kept the two halves together. The men dived and swam to the sides of the dock, and all were saved.

When buttons are removed from a dress for future use they should be loosely strung on a thread or needle putting them in a bottom.

The high collars of lace and net which are the newest French goods, it is said, strongly presage the return of the stock.

LOEB MAY MANAGE TAFT'S CAMPAIGN

Loeb's Services Are Wanted by Many of Taft's Friends.

Washington, Sept. 25.—Collector William Loeb, Jr., of the port of New York, former private secretary to President Roosevelt, may be manager of President Taft's reelection campaign, it is learned today that one of the subjects under consideration between Loeb and his friends when he visited Washington last week was the advisability of his acceptance of the chairmanship of the Republican national committee.

Loeb's services are wanted by some of the president's friends because of the political ability he demonstrated while serving at the White House and also because he is regarded as a progressive, who might do much to heal national wounds.

Loeb has not yet been formally offered the chairmanship, but it is known that such a request will be made soon unless President Taft unexpectedly calls upon Charles D. Hilles, his private secretary, to act as his political manager.

Lukewarm water and fine soap will remove fats from fabrics dyed with one suite tar and xanon grease will yield to hard rubbing on. Then soaped and allowed to lie for an hour or so. Afterward wash alternately in water and curtain of turpentine.

Taft's Program.

Coffeyville, Kas., Sept. 25.—The bank town circuit of Kansas was the center of President Taft's activity today. Coffeyville was the first of five or six stops in his schedule and with a population of 12,000, it was the biggest point on the day's trip.

The president began his tinning of reciprocal Kansas in territory that has so far been as regular as Pennsylvania. All day today, he was in the district of Representative Campbell, who was defeated two years ago after Coffeyville, the towns of Independence, Cherryvale, Chanute and Ottawa were on the program.

The president was three hours and a half in an hour long were in line today, with brief speeches in each town. The attitude of Governor Stubbs, governor of Kansas, who has announced President Taft and the boom of Senator La Follette for the presidential nomination, was one of the mysteries of Kansas politics today.

The governor, who cordially welcomed the president at Lawrence yesterday, has so far declined to declare himself. It is generally recognized that Stubbs, who will be a candidate for the seat of Senator Curtis next year, does not wish to alienate the Taft forces in the state by fighting the La Follette. Friends of the president declare that Stubbs and Kansas will be for Taft both before and after the election.

A TWO YOUTHS HANG A LAD FROM FENCE

Pedestrian Arrives in Time To Save Victim from Death.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., Sept. 26.—Thirteen-year-old Joseph Crobona of Edwardsville was "lynched" by two boys and was not rescued until he was unconscious and almost dead. A man walking along the street found the boy hanging from a high fence by a rope around his neck and his hands and feet bound. He was unconscious. After he had recovered he declared that Andrew Lipsky and Edward Bassburn, 18, had caught him and strung him up after declaring that he was the fellow they wanted. They were arrested and held for a hearing.

BIG POSTOFFICE THEFT REPORTED

Package Containing $25,000 Stolen from St. Louis Office.

St. Louis, Sept. 26.—A local newspaper man has learned that a registered package containing a bank shipment of between $25,000 and $30,000 in currency, was stolen from the St. Louis postoffice a year ago during that time the theft has been kept secret, known only to the postoffice officials who are investigating it. Postmaster Akins refused to discuss the matter Monday. Washington officials cautioned the local postoffice representatives not to divulge any facts in connection with the theft.

Hurt Trying to Stop Car.

Galion, O., Sept. 26.—Attempting to stop a Cleveland, Southwestern & Columbus car by standing on the tracks and frantically waving a burning paper, John Derfer was hit by the car, which the motorman failed to stop, and was badly hurt.

Every rose has its thorn, but not every thorn has its rose.

As a rule quickly made friendships soon spring a leak.

Husband Sues for Divorce and When Wife Learns of It She Makes Appointment with Husband To Discuss Matter—Shooting Follows When Husband Gives Gun to Her, Saying, Shoot Yourself.

Denver, Col., Sept. 26.—Declaring she acted only in self-defense, Mrs. Gertrude Gibson Patterson today pleaded guilty to shooting of her husband, Charles A. Patterson, a tuberculosis victim in Aurora, a suburb.

Mrs. Patterson belonged to a wealthy St. Louis family and her husband was formerly a well-to-do Chicago broker. They have been married about two years. They have lived here more than a year and have moved in exclusive society.

The shooting followed upon months of marital troubles, culminating in the filing of a divorce suit here by Mrs. Patterson charging cruelty. Then came counter suit by Patterson that his wife had eloped to Europe with Emil W. Strouss, millionaire Chicago clothier, in a suit for alienation of affections filed by Patterson against Strouss last Thursday.

Shooting Follows.

Learning that her husband had filed the suit, Mrs. Patterson made an appointment with him by telephone and the shooting followed.

Mrs. Patterson declares she shot only when she feared her husband would kill her. She declares the revolver which killed Patterson was held by her husband and that in wrestling with him for the weapon, she must have shot him.

"The whole affair is awful," declared Mrs. Patterson, today. "When we met and I showed him a clipping which told about the suit he had brought he drew the revolver, handed it to me and said: 'Why don't you kill yourself?' He then tried to wrest the revolver from me. What happened was awful—terrible."

MRS. EDDY'S WISHES BEING CARRIED OUT

Training School for Christian Science Pupils Is Proposed.

New York, Sept. 26.—In defiance of the directors, but in accordance with Mrs. Eddy's wishes, according to its advocates, a group of New York Christian Scientists are preparing to found a Christian Science home here, as a shelter during instruction for pupils, who would otherwise have to forego their studies. The project entails a $1,000,000 expenditure of which $100,000 is in hand

DROPS DEAD AFTER VIOLENT QUARREL

Rich Kentuckian Falls to Ground When Altercation Ends.

Beattyville, Ky., Sept. 26.—Louis Racener, a wealthy citizen of Booneville, Kentucky, dropped dead here, Monday, after a violent altercation with a man who accused Racener's children of throwing stones at his home. Racener denied the charge vehemently and grappled with the man. When bystanders separated them, Racener fell lifeless.

Just before the quarrel, Racener had finished serving on a jury which sentenced the defendant in a murder case to twenty-one years in the penitentiary.

AN ECHO OF THE NEWARK LYNCHING

Wife of Man Now in Reformatory Seeks a Divorce.

Newark, O., Sept. 26.—Another shadow of the lynching of Detective Carl Etherington more than a year ago was cast yesterday when Lillian Bush applied for a divorce from Joseph Bush, now confined in the Mansfield reformatory, after pleading guilty last April to a manslaughter charge. Bush was alleged to have been one of the ringleaders in the mob. In the divorce plea it is set up that although they have been married since 1896, Bush has failed to provide for his wife the necessities of life.

FRIENDS GO BACK ON M'NAMARAS

Funds Are Needed at Once, Declares Their Chief Counsel.

Los Angeles, Calif., Sept. 26.—With the date for the opening of the McNamara trial rapidly approaching, Clarence S. Darrow, chief counsel for the McNamaras, today sent out a hurry call for funds. Darrow declared that less than $15,000 was available for the defense of the two labor leaders and that not a penny was being received. Darrow indicated that many persons who had pledged funds for the defense had not come forward, and he urged all friends of labor to make good their promises.

When washing window panes or cupboard doors use a little whiting on the flannel instead of soap.

Prominent among the trimming are the dashing effects in quills and rosettes

MAKES THE WORST RECORD IN YEARS

One Good Measure Only Is Passed by Legislature.

The Session Just Closed Is Longest in History of the Nutmeg State, Charges That Money Is Freely Used To Defeat Bills Are Made, but Are Not Probed—Eight Bills Are Vetoed.

Hartford, Conn., Sept. 26.—When the Connecticut general assembly adjourned sine die today, it left behind, according to the few progressives of both parties in its membership, the worst record of any legislature of recent years. In session for months, it had, despite party pledges to the contrary, defeated the workingmen's compensation; home rule for cities, liberal Sunday relief; initiative, referendum and recall bills. Only one of the prominent measures in the interest of the people, that creating a public utilities commission, was passed and this was far from being as drastic a piece of legislation as was looked for.

Charges that the Black Horse cavalry got its fine work were freely made. Representative Dunn, of Willimantic, on the floor, charged that $30,000 was distributed to pass the Connecticut river bond issue bill, which Representative Meltzer, of Bridgeport, said the loan sharks paid $10,000 to kill bills clipping their wings. Senators Donovan, of South Norwalk and Senator Judson., of Stratford, and Representative Johnson, of Newton, alleged on the floor during the debate on the public utilities bill that money had been freely used to emasculate the measure. The charges were not probed.

The legislature, overwhelmingly Republican, passed eight bills that were vetoed by Governor Baldwin, Democrat. They were immediately passed over his vetoes.

The session was the longest in the history of the state

Makes New Record.

Detroit, Sept. 26.—Driving a Benz, Bob Burman, automobile speed king, late yesterday established a new twenty-mile circular dirt track record by covering that distance at the state fair grounds in 15:57 2-5. The former record was 18:04, held by Barney Oldfield and made in Milwaukee.

Seven Victims Buried.

Neenah, Wis., Sept. 26.—Seven victims of the Chicago & Northwestern train accident in which fourteen were killed and ten injured, were accorded a joint funeral here today.

broken and she died instantly. Valentine, although thrown several feet in the air, was uninjured.

School Strike Ended.

Cleveland, O., Sept. 26.—A majority of the 20 pupils who went on strike because they were transferred from Rockwell school to Brownell and St. Clair schools have returned to their classes. Action by their papas and mammas, who personally escorted them to school, ignominiously ended the strike.

Trolley Under Traction Car.

Newark, O., Sept. 26.—Orrie S. Davis stepped in front of an Ohio Electric car at Priest's Lane. His body was crushed to a pulp. James Glenn fell under a train of cars in West Newark and his leg was severed. His condition is serious.

Drops Dead at Fair.

Eaton, O., Sept. 26.—B. F. Hedrick, 57, a confectioner of Dayton, died suddenly at the Preble county fair here of heart disease. He had purchased the poodle dog privilege and was arranging his booth when he expired.

TAX VALUATIONS ON BIG GAS COMPANIES

Total Valuation Is Boosted from $20,000,000 to $75,000,000.

Columbus, O., Sept. 26.—Final tax valuation to be placed on Ohio gas companies by the state tax commission late today will show a total valuation of close to $75,000,000, compared to only $20,000,000 in 1910. Among the big increases are the following: East Ohio Gas, increased from $7,204,000 to $21,843,000; Union Gas & Electric, Cincinnati, from $4,500,000 to approximately $15,000,000; Northwestern Gas, from $895,675, to $2,923,114, and Logan Natural Gas, from $1,500,000 to $10,000,000.

Bank of Egypt Suspends.

London, Sept. 26.—The Bank of Egypt today posted a notice that it has suspended payment. No reason is given and no statement of assets and liabilities is obtainable. The affairs of the bank will be liquidated.

Have Modern Weapons.

Rome, Sept. 26.—Official announcement was made today that the corps of the Noble and Swiss guards, the Pope's personal bodyguard, have just been equipped with the most modern weapons.

A piece of white soap is quite an adjunct to an embroidery outfit. Rubbed along the line taken by threads that are to be drawn from linen, it will make those same threads draw much more quickly and easily. Rubbed on the under side of the cloth when doing eyelet work, it stiffens the linen and makes it easier to do the work evenly and uniformly.

PRESIDENT DISCUSSES CRISIS

President Discusses the Circumstances Under Which Kansas Entered the Union, the Bloody Warfare and Her Economic History Up to the Present Time—Lauds Character of Inhabitants.

Hutchinson, Kas., Sept. 26.—The president was a political magician about President Taft's speech at the Kansas state fair here today.

A dissertation on the history of Kansas and a brief speech eulogizing Representative E. H. Madison, whose death last week seriously oppressed the president, was his message to the insurgency of Kansas but the regular speech he was scheduled to deliver during his visit here.

In expressing his grief at the death of Judge Madison, the president said:

"His death was a great shock to me. I had not known him long nor can I say that I knew him intimately, but I knew him well enough to know the strong qualities of his mind and heart, his judicial instinct, his intense desire to be fair, his clear perception of the law as a jurist and his level-headedness as a legislator. I extend to his family and to his friends my profound sympathy. He has left deep sorrow, and hope that the memory of his high standing among his fellow citizens and the value of the service that he rendered to them may come in time mitigate the blow which has fallen upon them."

Discusses War.

The president proceeded to a lengthy discussion of the circumstances under which Kansas entered the union, the bloody guerilla warfare that racked her just prior to the civil war, and her economic history up to the present time. He then made a detailed statistical review of the advance of the state's prosperity.

"The trials through which the state has come have undoubtedly given a character to its inhabitants," he declared. "They are bold and original in thought, courageous in execution. One may differ from them on their conclusions either upon politics or upon other issues, but he must respect the sincerity and the energy, independence and courage with which they support their conclusions and carry them to their logical results."

Richwood Is Winner. .

Richwood won both games of a double-header from Prospect, Sunday afternoon, by scores of seven to six and six to two. The games were played on the grounds of the former club, and witnessed by a large crowd. Richwood now holds the championship of Union county.

No matter how unbecoming a woman's hat is, her feminine friends invariably tell her that she looks

AIMS CRITICISMS AT THE HEBREWS

Pittsburgh Pastor Stirs Things by Remarks at Convention.

Columbus, O., Sept.26—Caustic criticism of Jews and non-believers by Rev. J. S. McGaw, of Pittsburgh, field secretary of the National Reform association, was made at today's meeting of the Ohio Christian Citizenship convention.

A point had been raised that if Christianity was incorporated into federal, state and municipal governments, that the Jews and the non-believer would be disfranchised. Rev. Mr. McGaw said:

"If the Jew can not stand the Christian government, which because of its Christianity has thrown open the doors of America to the down-trodden of the world, the ocean liners are still running. If the man in accepting a political office must take an oath of allegiance to a Christian constitution, he can always refuse to accept the office."

A Death Message.

Robert G. Cheney, of north State street, received word, Sunday, of the death of his uncle, Henry Cheney, who died at Mechanicsburg, Saturday. The funeral was held Monday afternoon.

Sheriff's Sale of Real Estate.

Case No. 13030.

Marshall Markey, Plaintiff, vs. Otis C. Barnhard, et al., Defendant.

In Court of Common Pleas of Marion County, Ohio:

In pursuance of an order of sale from said Court to me directed I will expose to sale, at public auction, at the door of the Court House in Marion, Marion County, Ohio, on Saturday, the 28th day of October, A. D. 1911, at 2 o'clock P. M., the following described real estate, situate in the County of Marion, and State of Ohio, and in the City of Marion, to-wit:

Known as being Lot No. 4319 in Clissinger's 3rd Addition to Marion, Ohio, and also Lots Nos. 7241, 7242, 7243, 7252, and 7253 all in East Lawn Addition to Marion, Ohio.

Said premises appraised as follows:

Lot No. 4319 at $750.00.
Lot No. 7241 at $150.00.
Lot No. 7243 at $150.00.
Lot No. 7248 at $150.00.
Lot No. 7257 at $200.00.
Lot No. 7258 at $900.00.

Terms of Sale: Cash.

JOHN G. STARK,
Sheriff of Marion County, Ohio.
By C. Bonsel, Deputy.
George T. Geran, Attorney.
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FOUR KILLED IN WINDY CITY FIRE

Two Men May Face Murder and Arson Charge.

FIRE BUILDINGS TO COLLECT INSURANCE

That's Declaration Made by the Chicago Police.

A Number of Thrilling Rescues Are Made from Second and Third-Story Windows by Means of Scaling Ladders—Firemen Are Unable To Reach People Who Perish on the Fourth Floor of Tenement.

Chicago, Sept. 25.—Held pending further investigation, Harry Laski and Samuel Goldstein, owners of a four-story tenement on the West Side, will be charged with arson and murder, the police declare, as the result of a fire which gutted the building early today, killing four persons.

The dead are Harry Egolzitch, twenty-five; Letta Egolzitch, twenty-three, his wife; Bessie Egolzitch, two, their daughter; Samuel Alpert, twenty-four, a boarder.

The police charge that Laski and Goldstein fired the building to collect insurance money.

There were a number of thrilling rescues from the second and third-story windows by means of scaling ladders. The firemen were unable to make their way into the fourth floor on account of the heat. It was there the four died.

SUIT FOR DAMAGES IS BEGUN IN COURT

Leonard Pine Seeks To Recover for Injuries.

JOHN D. OWENS & SON NAMED DEFENDANTS

Pine Is Victim of Accident in Quarries and Seeks To Recover Sum of $5,000—Mrs. John E. Davidson Is Awarded a Divorce — Common Pleas Court Notes.

Leonard Pine, by his next friend, Lizzie Pine, began a suit through Attorneys A. R. Johnson and C. C. Fisher, in the court of common pleas, Saturday, against John D. Owens & Son, for damages in the sum of $5,000, for personal injuries.

The plaintiff recites that he was employed by the firm which operates a quarry at Owens, and while serving in the capacity of an ordinary laborer was taken by his foreman from his regular work and ordered to assist in cleaning holes and loading them with dynamite. He alleges that he was not employed for such service and was wholly without the experience necessary to safely perform such duties. In the course of the work, a certain iron pipe was used for tamping, a tool which could not be used safely in such work, but supplied by the defendant company for the purpose. As a result of inexperience and the use of unsafe equipment, an explosion resulted, and he was maimed and almost blinded. The plaintiff alleges that he has been permanently injured and asks to be awarded judgment in the sum named.

In the divorce proceeding of Mary Davidson against John E. Davidson, the plaintiff has been awarded a divorce and the custody of her four-year-old daughter. In her petition the plaintiff stated that she was married to the defendant, December 24, 1901, in West Virginia, and charged the defendant with extreme cruelty and neglect.

In the suit of H. P. Rudasell against Martha H. Rudasell and others, French Crow has been appointed guardian of Lester E. Rudasell, a minor defendant in the case.

In the proceeding of Lucius T. Goodnow, administrator of the estate of the late Josephus Goodnow, against the Central Christian church, John D. Owens and others have filed a demurrer, in which it is set up that there is another case pending in court on the same causes of action. It is also claimed that the last petition was not filed within the time prescribed by law.

In the divorce proceeding of E. L. Cooper, by his guardian, A. C. Johnston, against Geneva G. Cooper, in the court of common pleas, the defendant has filed an answer and cross-petition in which she admits the birth of a child to them, and other allegations as to marriage, but denies all material allegations in the complaint of the plaintiff. She asks the dismissal of the petition and for allimony for the support of the child of the parties to the suit.

Mrs. Martha Baker has begun a damage proceeding in the court of common pleas against Mrs. Louisa Ulsh, residing east of the city, in which she seeks to recover the sum of $5,000 for the alienation of the affections of her husband, Sidney Baker.

The plaintiff in the course of her petition states that she was married to Sidney Baker, August 18, 1883, and five children have been born of the union. She states that for a number of years they lived happily together until her husband fell under the influence of Mrs. Ulsh. She charges that for some time past Baker has been spending a great deal of his time with Mrs. Ulsh and they have made excursions together to various points. As a result of the intimacy, the plaintiff claims that her husband has neglected his family and she has been damaged in the sum named.

In a second petition, Mrs. Baker sues for allimony.

Eymon & Thompson represent the plaintiff in both proceedings.

In the two cases of the State of Ohio against Mary Miller, charged with violating the liquor laws, the defendant has been granted leave to file petitions-in-error.

In the divorce proceeding of Ida Close against Walter Close, Judge W. E. Scofield heard the testimony, Monday afternoon, and received his decision. Strong contention is made by both parties to the suit as to the custody of an eight-year-old son.

Carie S. Myers has begun a suit for divorce from George Myers in the court of common pleas. The plaintiff states that she was married to the defendant, December 28, 1909, and the defendant has been guilty of adultery. No children have been born of the union. An injunction has been granted by the court restraining the defendant from disposing of his property.

R. W. BELL DIES SATURDAY MORNING

He Had Been Ill for the Past Seven Months.

R. W. Bell, aged fifty-one years, died of a complication of diseases at the home of his son, Harry E. Bell, of LaRue, Saturday morning at 2:30 o'clock. He had been ill for the past seven months.

Mr. Bell was born in this county and has always resided in and about LaRue. Aside from his widow, he is survived by one son, Harry E. Bell, and two brothers, L. C. and Samuel Bell, of Carterville, Missouri. He was a member of the LaRue I. O. O. F. lodge and of the Union Baptist church.

The funeral was held in one of the LaRue churches Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment was made in the Essex cemetery.

WILLIAM H. DEE IS MARRIED SEPTEMBER 2

Takes a Belle of Bellefontaine for His Bride.

Cards were received here Monday announcing the marriage of William H. Dee, a son of Mr. and Mrs. John Dee, of east Farming street, to Miss Hazel Wallace, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Wallace, of Bellefontaine. The marriage took place in Chicago September 2.

Mr. and Mrs. Dee are residing in Bloomington, Illinois. Mr. Dee formerly resided here, but for the past several years has been employed elsewhere.

DEATH THE RESULT OF A LONG ILLNESS

Miss Elva Myers Dies at Her Home in Dayton.

Friends here have received word of the death of Miss Elva Myers, of Dayton, a daughter of William Myers who formerly conducted an ice cream factory in this city. Miss Myers died, Friday noon, at 12:30 o'clock, after a long illness of a complication of diseases.

The deceased was about twenty-one years of age. Aside from her parents she is survived by a brother and sister.

The funeral was held in Dayton Monday.

FINDING OF CORONER IN MARSHALL CASE

Marshall Is Not Murdered, but Is Victim of Accident.

B. C. Lewis, assistant superintendent of the Prudential insurance office in this city, is in receipt of a letter from the clerk of courts of Montteau county, Missouri, giving a copy of the coroner's report relative to the death of Wilbur Marshall. The post-mortem finding of Coroner A. V. Thorpe is that Marshall met his death while riding on train, No. 58, on the Missouri Pacific in Cooper county, being struck by a bridge at Boonville.

MRS. JOHN THOMAS DEAD AT SARANAC

Was Formerly Miss Florence Anderson, of Caledonia.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Anderson, of Caledonia, received word Sunday evening of the death of their daughter, Mrs. John Thomas, wife of Dr. Thomas, of Columbus, which occurred at Saranac Lake, New York. The deceased, who was Miss Florence Anderson, was very well known in this city. She is survived by her parents, husband and one son.

JOINED IN MARRIAGE AT THE PARSONAGE

Miss Marie Basset and Mr. Fred Kinsler.

Miss Marie Basset and Mr. Fred Kinsler, both of Cleveland, were united in marriage by Rev. F. E. Zechiel, at the First Reformed church, Friday afternoon.

Mr. Kinsler is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Christian Kinsler, of the Prospect pike, and has many friends in this city who will be pleased to learn of his marriage.

THE ASSIGNMENT OF MINISTERS MONDAY

Closing Session of the Central Ohio Conference.

WHERE THE MINISTERS WILL SERVE NEXT YEAR.

Many Important Changes in the Pastorates Are Made — Bishop David H. Moore Presides at the Meeting—A Change Is Made in the Marion Charge.

Entirely unexpected by the members of the congregation of the Epworth M. E. church came the report, circulated Sunday and confirmed in the appointments named by Bishop David H. Moore at the closing session of the Central Ohio conference, Monday, that Dr. David H. Bailey, who has been pastor of the church for the past six years, had been made superintendent of the Bellefontaine district, and that Rev. C. R. Havighurst, D. D., superintendent of the Bellefontaine district, is to be the pastor of Epworth church. Another surprise camein the announcement that Rev. H. V. McCleary, pastor of the Wesley M. E. church, is to be the pastor of the church at Kalida in the Lima district.

While the members of the big congregation of Epworth had hoped for the return of Dr. Bailey, and confidently expected it, their regret in his departure from the city is surmounted by their pleasure in his elevation to the dignity of a district superintendent, and in the appointment of Rev. Mr. Havighurst, who is regarded one of the very ablest ministers in the Central Ohio conference.

A host of friends of Dr. Bailey, while pleased by the honor bestowed upon him, regret the fact that he is to be in Marion no more. Always at the front in every reform movement, and a leader in the temperance forces as well as a steady and most able pastor, Dr. Bailey has won for himself in Marion a place in the hearts of the people of all churches.

Much Accomplished.

In his pastorate here Dr. Bailey has accomplished a work that is enviable. The best showing ever made by the church is that made during his pastorate. The erection of the new parsonage is due to his persistent efforts. At the time it was being erected there was not a shadow of a falling off in the regular church standing financially. Several powerful revival campaigns have been conducted under his leadership and a host of people have been brought into the church.

Dr. Bailey came here six years ago from Fremont, succeeding Dr. A. E. Smith who was at that time made the president of the Ohio Northern university at Ada, after a pastorate of six years. During all of that time he has stood high in the estimation of his congregation which was unanimously in favor of his return here this year.

Of the new pastor of Epworth church much may be said. That he is one of the ablest ministers and pastors in Ohio Methodism is recognized. He is the son of the Rev. R. Havighurst, late of the St. Louis conference, and is one in a family of ministers. He has two brothers in the ministry, Rev. Edwin S. Havighurst, of Kansas City, and Rev. Freeman A. Havighurst, who is professor of history in Lawrence university, Appleton, Wisconsin. Dr. Havighurst was born in Alton, Illinois, and after pursuing his early education, was graduated from the Iowa Wesleyan university and the Boston school of theology and has taken post-graduate work in the universities of Berlin and Jena, Germany, having finished his education there.

Degrees Conferred.

The degree of master-of-arts has been conferred upon him by the Iowa Wesleyan university, bachelor of sacred theology from the Boston Theological esminary and doctor of divinity from the Ohio Wesleyan university and from the Iowa Wesleyan university. He has served pastorates at William Street, Delaware, Bellefontaine and at the First church in Findlay, he having remained nine years in the work at Findlay. For the past five years he has been superintendent of the Bellefontaine district with his residence at Bellefontaine.

Dr. Havighurst has been tendered many very flattering offers from some of the most prominent pulpits in Methodism at high salaries but he has preferred to remain in his home conference.

The new minister has a pleasing family, of a wife and three children. The oldest son, Alfred R., is a member of the Sophomore class in the Ohio Wesleyan university and a second son, Harold C., is in the high school. A daughter, Helen Louise, ten years of age goes to school.

In every way Dr. Havighurst comes to Marion most highly recommended and with a reputation few ministers may boast of in this conference.

Rev. H. V. McCleary, who has been the pastor of the Wesley M. E. church for the past three years, leaves Marion regretted. He has been an able minister and an excellent pastor. He has won many friends in this city during his pastorate and has done a splendid work in this charge. He came here from Green Camp. Just who will take up the work there is not yet definitely known, as the pulpit is to be supplied.

The assignments made by Bishop David H. Moore are as follows:

Bellefontaine District.

Dr. D. H. Bailey, superintendent, Bellefontaine.

Anna, Joseph Bennett; Ansonia, J. W. Miller; Belle Center, J. L. Altman; Bellefontaine, J. F. Olive, Bellefontaine circuit, H. A. Manahan; Bradford and Gettysburg, E. L. Motter; DeGraff, E. S. Keller; Hardin, S. T. Walker; Huntsville, H. Baumgardner; Jackson Center, O. E. Smith; Kenton First church, P. A. Crow; Kenton Epworth, Kelley L. Smith; Lockington, not supplied; Port Jefferson, C. H. Wolcott; Quincy, W. T. Culp; Rossburg, Ivan Wynne; Roundhead, Ralph Wright; Rushsylvania, J. W. Horne; Sidney, W. B. Armington; St. Mary's circuit, Shirley Decker; St. Paris, Albert E. Day; Versailles, Robert Kennedy; Wapakoneta, O. E. Strother; West Liberty, J. O. Moffit; Zanesfield, R. W. Turner

Defiance District.

Dr. J. F. Harshberger, superintendent, Defiance.

Antwerp, R. E. Carter; Archbold, E. E. Cole; Ayersville, Jackson T. Pope; Bryan, W. T. Stockstill; Continental, Ray Drummond; Defiance, W. W. Lance; Deshler, W. S. Philpott; Edgerton, J. F. Richardson; Edon, G. W. Whyman; Fayette, C. M. Monasmith; Florida, A. D. Miller; Franklin, Frank M. Money; Grover Hill, H. D. Yant; Hicksville, John C. Shaw; Holgate, W. F. Cummings; Latty, John Parker; Leipsic, E. L. Davis; Montpelier, L. H. Gressley; Napoleon, A. R. Austar; Oakwood, S. J. Colgan; Ottawa, Stewart Baumgardner; Paulding, David F. Helms; Payne, W. E. Ice; Pioneer, Dwight E. Rhoads; Scott, J. L. Robison; Sherwood, G. W. Deemer; Stryker, F. W. Harthan; Tedrow, W. T. Cordrey; West Unity, J. J. Richards; Williams Center, Thomas Parkins.

Delaware District.

Dr. William McK. Brackney, superintendent, Delaware.

Agosta, T. J. Carey; Crawford, C. L. Buehler; Delaware, Williams Street, T. H. Housel; Delaware unattached, Louis Alberta Banks; Dunkirk, Carl W. Jameson; East Kenton, J. W. Hodge; East Liberty, J. C. Sinclair; Forest, D. G. Hall; Green Camp, J. O. Hillery; Harpster, M. D. Scott; Hepburn, LeRoy V. Simms; Kenton circuit, George B. Sessions; LaRue, M. C. Wiseley; Magnetic Springs, Avery C. Clinger; Marion, Epworth C. R. Havighurst, Marion; Wesley, to be supplied; Marseilles, H. W. Hodge; Marysville, E. S. Weaver; Mt. Victory, A. H. Weaver; New Dover, J. W. Donnan; North Lewisburg, Michael Yeagle; Prospect, M. D. Bumgardner; Radnor, F. G. Markley; Raymond, G. F. Kinnear; Richwood, C. B. Creamer; South Ada, J. F. Newcomb; Upper Sandusky, J. W. Holland; Waldo, George P. Parkin; West Mansfield, C. B. Heistand; Wharton, George B. Sessions; York, A. E. Delancy.

Findlay District.

Dr. J. H. Fitzwater, superintendent, Delaware.

Ada, David Bowers; Arcadia, W. N. Roberts; Arlington, W. F. Turner; Beaver Dam, E. H. Stafford; Bettsville, T. J. Ingle; Bloomdale, W. W. Constine; Bluffton, J. H. Butler; Bradnor, G. A. Whitlock; Carey, O. L. Curl; Columbus Grove, Daniel Carter; Findlay, First church, F. W. Stanton; Findlay, Howard church, J. W. Gibson; Findlay, Third church, C. E. Rowley; Fostoria, C. W. Barnes, Fostoria circuit, David Brandenbery; Fremont, M. E. Ketchum; Gilboa, E. H. Snow; Hoytsville, J. W. Welsh; Lafayette, W. E. Chiles; McComb, W. J. Green; McComb circuit, L. H. Lindsay; McCutchenville, M. S. Pierce; Mt. Blanchard, L. B. Smith; North Baltimore, P. B. Cuppett; Pandora, G. W. Baumgardner; Rawson, W. W. Motter; Vanlue, J. S. Snodgrass.

Lima District.

Dr. M. M. Figley, Superintendent, Lima

Allentown, R. E. Woodruff; Celina, Charles Bennett; Celina circuit, Lemmel Rice; Conroy, Samuel W. Metz; Cridersville, Samuel Given; Delphos, George B. Wiltsie; Dixon, William Reeves; Elida, A. J. Bussard; Fort Recovery, A. C. Rainsberger; Harrod, J. A. Lucey; Kalida, H. B. McCleary; Lima, Epworth, Daniel Stecker; Lima, Grace, H. J. Jewett; Lima, Second Street, S. R. Dunham; Lima, Trinity, M. B. Fuller and J. M. Mills; Mendon, J. B. Gotschall; Middlepoint, F. L. Hook; Ohio City, W. M. Keller; Rockford, W. R. Burton; Rushmore, J. H. Armbrust; St. John's, D. M. Kelley; St. Mary's, C. C. Kennedy; Spencerville, M. C. Howey; Spencerville circuit, H. S. Worthington; Van Wert, First church, Jesse Swank; Van Wert, Second church, A. H. Roebuck; Van Wert circuit, F. M. Houser; West Cairo, Bryce Nicholas; Wiltshire, S. A. Beall

Toledo District.

Dr. E. O. Crist, superintendent, Toledo.

Bowling Green, J. A. Hoffman; Cygnet, M. J. Nash; Delta, C. A. Moore; Elmore, J. W. Reynolds; Genoa, W. N. Harford; Gibsonburg, Charles W. Collinge; Grand Rapids, B. F. Gordon; Liberty Center, C. S. Barron; Maumee, E. D. Smith; Metamora, J. C. Sinclair; McClure, G. M. McNeeley; Oak Harbor, J. A. Holmes; Pemberville, A. S. Bowersock; Perrysburg, E. G. Webster; Prairie Depot, C. W. Baker; Swanton Charles R. Davenport; Sylvanie, H. C. Burger; Toledo, Asbury, Charles Fulkerson; Toledo, Bethany, E. D. Cook; Toledo Broadway, B. F. Reading; Toledo, Central, C. J. Yeisley, Toledo, Park Street, F. E. Higbie; Toledo, Collinwood, William Hook; Toledo, Epworth, J. B. Ascham; Toledo, Euclid Avenue, Charles W. Sutton; Toledo, Hamilton, unsupplied; Toledo, Ironville, J. W. Smith; Toledo, Monroe Street, W. N. Shank; Toledo, St. James, E. H. Hammond; Toledo St. John's, W. J. Hagerman; Toledo, St. Paul's, R. D. Holtington; Toledo, Spring Street, N. S. Brackney; Toledo, Western Avenue, C. W. Taneyhill; Waterville, C. W. Jameson; Wauseon, C. W. Hoffman; Weston, D. C. Yoder.

CLOSING SESSION OF THE BIG CONFERENCE

Held at Epworth Methodist Church Monday Morning.

The closing session of the fifty-sixth annual session of the Central Ohio conference of the Methodist Episcopal church was held at Epworth M. E. church Monday morning. The ministers gathered at 8 o'clock, and shortly after 10 o'clock had finished the business of the big conference. A large number of visitors were present to hear the reading of the appointments.

One of the first matters of business given attention, Monday morning, was the reading of the report of the Ohio Methodist Historical society by Secretary Daniel Carter. Dr. William McK. Brackney, superintendent of the Delaware district, called special attention to the report. It was moved that Rev. N. B. C. Love, of Perrysburg, and D. C. Yoder, of Weston, should be a committee to increase interest in this movement.

Rev. A. S. Wtakins, of Ada, and Rev. J. A. Steene, of Sylvania, were granted the supernumerary relation.

Dr. A. G. Kynette gave a short talk on the church extension board work, and the reports of the committee on education, world peace and arbitration were received and adopted, as was also the report of the committee on the Methodist Book concern.

Donation to Pariette.

Dr. J. H. Fitzwater, of the Findlay district, spoke on behalf of Rev. John Parlette, of Ada, who is treasurer of the conference, asking that he be given $100 from the general fund. Rev. Mr. Parlette was given the money. He has been treasurer for twenty-six years, and has worked most arduously. The sum given him amounts to less than four dollars a year for his services.

A collection was taken to cover the expense incurred by Janitor Gardner of the church who had extra help. A former collection brought the sum of $11, and that Monday morning brought $16.31.

Bishop Moore spoke at some length on Korea, and urged the ministers to give sufficient time for the presentation of the situation in Korea and for raising money for the work there.

The secretary was authorized to have 3,000 copies of the conference minutes printed.

The report of the committee on resolutions was received, in which thanks were given to all concerned in making the conference a great one. The ministers cordially invited Bishop Moore to return to the conference at any time.

While the conference business was being given attention Bishop Moore stated that at that time Rev. E. D. Whitlock was to be placed on the operating table and he asked for prayer for him. Rev. W. W. Lantz, of Defiance, offered prayer.

Dr. D. H. Bailey, on behalf of Epworth church, thanked the ministers for their courtesy in coming here.

The report of the committee on Sabbath observance was read, and amendments were made condemning the action of the legislature in legalizing Sunday baseball. Another amendment commending the action of Postmaster General Hitchcock in reducing the Sunday work in the postoffice, was passed.

Special Appointments.

Rev. C. R. Havighurst read the following list of special appointments:

E. E. McCammon, financial secretary of the Deaconess' home and hospital, Toledo, Ohio, and member of Williams Street, Delaware, Ohio, quarterly conference.

C. A. Sparks, assistant superintendent of the Anti-Saloon league, member of Collinwood, Toledo, quarterly conference.

W. V. Marsh, superintendent of the Anti-Saloon league, member of member of Collinwood, Toledo, Ohio, quarterly conference.

E. E. McLaughlin, superintendent of the Anti-Saloon league, Denver, Colorado, member of Columbus Grove quarterly conference.

A. E. Harford, president of the Methodist Children's Home association, member of Williams Street, Delaware, Ohio, quarterly conference.

C. B. Austin, professor Ohio Wesleyan university, member of Williams Street quarterly conference.

J. C. Roberts, financial secretary of Ohio Wesleyan university, member of Williams Street, Delaware quarterly conference.

Hiram M. Perkins, professor Ohio University, member of Williams Street quarterly conference.

A. E. Smith, president Ohio Northern university, member of Ada quarterly conference.

R. H. Schoonover, professor of Ohio Northern university, member of Ada quarterly conference.

A. A. Thomas, financial agent of Ohio Northern university, member of Ada quarterly conference

M. J. Swearingen, Anti-Saloon league work, member of Williams Street, Delaware, quarterly conference.

E. S. Dunham, conference evangelist, member of Williams Street, Delaware, quarterly conference.

W. T. Dunn, missionary in Wyoming.

Following the reading of the appointments by Bishop David H. Moore, the ministers sang the doxology, and were dismissed. Bishop Moore pronounced the benediction.

Many of the ministers hurried to the union station to catch the morning trains, and by noon a large number had reached their homes.

BOARD OF ELECTIONS MUST SOLVE PROBLEM

No Candidate for Assessor in Waldo Township.

The attention of the board of elections has been called to the fact that the Democratic nominee for assessor of Waldo township has not been named in accord with the new law and the board has been asked to give a solution to the problem.

O. S. Anthony has been the assessor for the village and township in years past, and was named for the same position this year. The new law provides that an assessor shall be named for each of the incorporated villages and each of the townships. Under this law, the assessor for Waldo can not serve in the township, and unless a candidate is named by the board Waldo will be without an assessor.

LEWIS GARDNER IS DEAD AT CARDINGTON

Death Follows a Very Long Illness of Consumption.

Lewis Gardner, aged about sixty-eight years, died at his home in Cardington, Saturday evening at 5 o'clock, death being due to consumption and a complication of diseases. The deceased had been ill for some time, but until a few weeks ago was able to be up and around. He is survived by one son from a first marriage, a widow and one son from his second marriage, two brothers and two sisters. The brothers and sisters are Alvin and Henry Gardner, Mrs. D. W. Lett and Miss Ethel Gardner, all of this city.

The funeral was conducted from the late residence, Monday at 2 o'clock, interment being made at Cardington.

ADAM SCHWEINFURTH DIES MONDAY MORNING

The Passing of a Highly-Respected Citizen of City.

DEATH FOLLOWS AN ILLNESS OF SEVEN WEEKS

Mr. Schweinfurth Is a Native of Germany, but Resides in Marion a Great Many Years—Leaves Seven Grown Children—Long and Useful Life Ended.

Adam Schweinfurth, one of the best known and most highly respected citizens of Marion for the past half century and more, passed away at his home at No. 317 north State street, Monday morning at 7:10 o'clock. About seven weeks ago, Mr. Schweinfurth was stricken by paralysis. A week ago, he suffered another stroke, after which uraemic poisoning set in, causing his death. Prior to the time of the first stroke, he had been in very good health for one of his advanced years, he being almost seventy-nine years of age.

Mr. Schweinfurth was a native of Germany, having been born in Baden, October 16, 1832. He came to this country in 1854 and settled in Marion. Ever since coming to this city he had resided at the home where he died. He was twice married. March 25, 1858, he was married to Miss Eva Bentz, of Muskingum county, who died in 1863. To this union was born five children, two of whom survive. They are Adam and Katie, of this city. Mr. Schweinfurth was married to his deceased wife's sister, Miss Louisa Bentz, September 10, 1864. Seven children were born to them, five of them surviving as follows:

Philip, Elizabeth and Bertha, of Marion; John J., of Bucyrus, and Charles, of Erie. Eight grandchildren also survive.

Mrs. Schweinfurth died March 1 1893, and since then her daughters and her step-daughter have kept house for their father.

The deceased was the eldest of nine children, all of whom preceded him in death. He had been a loyal and active member of the German M. E. church since 1854, and up until his last illness attended church services regularly. He was one of the founders of the local church and Sunday-school. He never entered into the political life of the city, but spent his entire life attending to church and business matters. He was a cooper by trade and always conducted a shop at the rear of his residence.

Short funeral services were conducted at the late home, Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock, after which the funeral party left for the German M. E. church where services were held at 2:30 o'clock. Rev. John C. Guenther, the new pastor of the church, officiated. The remains were laid to rest in the Marion cemetery.

MISS CAROLINE HOUK AND ADAM LAUER

United in Marriage at Emanuel Lutheran Parsonage.

Miss Caroline Houk and Mr. Adam G. Lauer, both of this city, were united in marriage at the Emanuel Lutheran parsonage by Rev. J. W. Schillinger, Sunday morning at 8 o'clock. They were unattended.

Mr. Lauer is a retired farmer. They will reside on west Church street.

SCANDAL STIRS POLICE CIRCLE

Stampede of Grafters Is Expected in Chicago.

GUILTY ONES TO SEEK IMMUNITY

Already Has One of the Lieutenants Confessed.

Powerful Politicians Are at Work To Stop Civil Service Commission's Probe of Conditions—Methods and Plans of Grafters Are Unearthed. Gamblers Will Figure in the Rigid Investigation.

Chicago, Sept. 25.—A stampede of police grafters to take the immunity bath before William W. Wheelock, special counsel of the city civil service commission, is expected today to lead to one of the greatest police scandals the West has ever known.

Already, Wheelock has in his possession the confession of a lieutenant of police, known as the grafter in the vice district, which is said to implicate three of the highest police officials in Chicago, in addition to a number of the "smaller fry."

Powerful politicians are at work to stop the civil service commission's expose and a test of their strength will come tonight, when counsel will be asked to appropriate $10,000 to the commission for a continuance of the probe.

The confession of the lieutenant is said to be a complete account of the methods used in collecting police graft and protection money in the vice district. It is said to contain the names of three prominent police officials who were presented $10,000 automobiles by the gambling trust immediately upon their elevation to positions in which they could either permit or prevent gambling.

JUDGE BLAIR GETS A SURPRISE TODAY

The Adams County Candidates Quit Spending Money.

West Union, O., Sept. 25.—When Judge A. Z. Blair, who disfranchised more than 2,000 voters for ballot bartering, opened court here today he heard some novel news from Adams county. In the recent primaries, the first election since Blair's housecleaning, not a cent was spent by any of the candidates, according to their sworn statements filed with the election commissioners.

The filing of the statements was made necessary by Ohio's new corrupt practices act. Before Judge Blair disfranchised most of the voters in Adams county, it was customary for $5,000 to $25,000 to be spent on each election.

There is but one case on Judge Blair's docket, that being against Charles Clark, indicted for vote selling. Clark is the only one of 2,000 who pleaded "not guilty" to the charge.

MARRIAGE CELEBRATED IN THE COURT-ROOM

Mrs. Miriam V. Gillespie and Mr. J. L. Bertrand Wed.

Mr. James Lewis Bertrand and Mrs. Miriam V. Gillespie were united in marriage in the probate court room, Thursday afternoon at 4 o'clock, by Justice C. E. Gompf. Both parties reside in this city, the groom being a machinist. They will reside on Cottage street.

REAL ESTATE.

Callie Augenstine and others to J. J. Arthur, part of lot in Marion, $3,750.

Ezekiel Brown to Charles Ferguson, lot in Morral, $135.

John H. Bain to W. A. Lawrence, lot in Marion, $500.

Harry J. Gooding to Rosa Keller, lot in Marion, $2,200.

Emma E. Huneke to Callie M. Goodsell, lot in Marion, $1,100.

Abraham Konkel to J. S. Mulvain, lot in LaRue, $1,100.

T. H. Linsley to John Super, lot in Marion, $200.

Grove Miller and others to Riley L. Davis, seventeen and part acres in Montgomery township, one dollar.

Christof F. Mack to John W. Lust, eleven and part acres in Richland township, $300.

Emma O. McFarlin to R. E. Brewer, lot in Marion, one dollar.

Frank G. Ulsh to George Ackerman, part of lot in Marion, $4,000.

Jay Partridge to Riley L. Davis, seventeen and part acres in Montgomery township, one dollar.

Upton E. Partridge to Riley L. Davis, seventeen and part acres in Montgomery township, one dollar

John V. Wilson to William T. Jones, part of two lots in Marion $1,500.

William T. Jones to Mary R. Abel, part of lot in Marion, $3,300

C. L. V. Casto and others to John Reidel and others, twenty-eight acres in Montgomery township, one dollar.

Zora E. Clixby to Riley L. Davis, seventeen and part acres in Montgomery township, one dollar

Harry Coon and others, by guardian, to J. F. Wottring, part of two lots in Green Camp, $700.

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‡Runs to Ohio City only.

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THE CIRCUIT COURT RETURNS ITS FINDINGS

Lower Court Reversed in the L. J. Smith Case.

SMITH NOT GUILTY OF TAKING MONEY

State Loses in a Couple of Alleged Bootlegging Cases — John D. Owens & Son Lose in the Damage Proceeding of the Administrator of Elmer Birch—Other Cases.

The circuit court, which has been in session here since Tuesday afternoon at 1 o'clock, concluded its deliberations about 7:20 o'clock Friday evening and proceeded to render its decisions ten minutes later.

The attorneys of the city had been apprised of the fact that decisions in the various cases submitted would be returned during the evening, and almost every attorney practicing at the local bar was in the court-room when the decisions were given.

Judge Michael Donnelly, Phil M. Crow and W. H. Kinder succeeded each other in turn in reporting the results of their deliberations, and the findings were heard with a great deal of interest. Presiding Judge Donnelly gave the first finding, that of the matter of Henry Sauer against the State of Ohio, in error.

In beginning, Judge Donnelly explained that this was an error proceeding brought up from the common pleas court and had failed to secure a reversal of judgment in the court of common pleas on a charge of violating the local option laws.

Peculiar Terms.

It was explained that according to the evidence in the case, the plaintiff-in-error during a certain evening met two men, who inquired if he had anything on his "hip," and if he would object to them "frisking" him. These terms the court explained are peculiar to dry territory, and the court had some difficulty in interpreting the expressions, the court being from wet territory, but it was finally learned that the men met by Sauer suspected that he had a bottle of liquor in his pocket and they wanted a drink.

The men went through the clothing of Sauer and found a bottle which they smelled, and believing that it did not contain whisky, refused to drink and returned it to Sauer. A policeman was watching the proceeding and arrested Sauer on a charge of violating the liquor law. The court said that such was the evidence in the case, and there was nothing to warrant the prosecution and expressed surprise that such a trivial thing should be brought to the attention of the state The judgment of the lower court was reversed with costs assessed against the defendant-in-error.

The next case, which is regarded the most important on the docket, was that of Loring J. Smith against the State of Ohio. The finding was read by Judge Phil M. Crow.

Smith Decision.

Judge Crow reviewed the preliminary transactions which led to prosecution. Smith was employed as secretary and manager of the Ohio Milling & Elevator company, and was charged with the embezzlement of money in the sum of $198. It appeared in the record that he had been duly indicted, tried, found guilty and sentenced..

Taking up the evidence in the case, the court found that Smith owed certain notes, and issued a check to pay interest on them in the sum named in the indictment. This check was issued to the City National bank, which, in the course of bookkeeping, received credit from the Marion Savings bank, this bank in turn charged the company mentioned with the sum on its account, an account which by agreement was allowed to be overdrawn at times.

When the bank opened for business the morning after the check in question was drawn the milling company's account was overdrawn largely in excess of the amount of the check. The court explained that Smith was indicted for embezzling money, and then turned to Webster's definition of money. After reading the definition it was shown that Smith only obtained credit on his account and did not receive money.

No Money Involved.

It was explained that the whole transaction from beginning to end involved only credit, and no money. The milling company had no money on deposit, which was physically transferred to the use of Smith, but simply had credit and by Smith's act the indebtness of the company to the bank was increased In view of this the court asked, "How can Smith be charged with embezzling money?

The court found error in the case reversed the judgment of the lower court, and granted the accused a new trial

In the matter of the Marion Malleable company against John Weston, in error, the case hinged wholly on a motion to strike out a petition-in-error on the grounds that a bill of exceptions was not filed within the time prescribed by law. Judge Kinder found that the bill of exceptions was filed within the proper time, but that it was attached to an exhibit so weighty that for purpose of the court it was detached, and did not reach the records of the clerk until fully six weeks after it should have appeared. It was further found that such delay was through no fault of the plaintiff-in-error or of the clerk, and the motion to strike out the petition was overruled.

The Massie Case.

The case of William Massie against the State of Ohio was next taken up. The court explained that in the original proceeding against Massie, the prisoner was taken into the court of Justice C. E. Gompf, where he was found guilty of abusing and cruelly torturing one, Bertha Massie, his wife. He was sentenced to a long term in the workhouse. The case was carried to the common pleas court, where the judgment of the lower court was confirmed and Massie was taken to the workhouse. Error was then prosecuted to the circuit court, but in the meantime Massie has served several months of his sentence and is now a prisoner in that institution.

The court found on examination of the evidence, that the original cause of complaint grew out of a disagreement, one evening, as to the reading of a letter Mrs. Massie had received from her father. The couple was seated on a sofa and Massie, who could read but little, was trying to decipher the letter. When he reached the signature, he was unable to read it and asked his wife to tell him who the letter was from. She refused and he tickled her. In the course of the tickling process, she rolled off the sofa, and he in some manner not wholly clear, kicked her with his wooden foot. He was sorry for the act at once, and pleaded with his wife to forgive him, and repeatedly at other times tried to make amends, but the prosecution was unrelenting, and he was sentenced as stated. The court found that Massie did not cruelly torture his wife, and declared that the verdict against him was not within the law and was wholly unjustified The matter was reversed at the costs of the state.

The Fetter Matter.

In the matter of W. P. Fetter against the State of Ohio, the court found that Fetter had filed a petition in error, regardless of the fact that the court at its last session had refused him permission to do so. The court reiterated its statement that there was no error in the proceeding as had been determined before, and in that way confirmed the judgment of the lower courts in finding Fetter guilty of violating the liquor laws.

The petition-in-error of William Miller in his proceeding against the State of Ohio, a case where Miller was arrested and fined for delivering beer in dry territory, next occupied the attention of the court.

It was expalined that Miller was found in the vicinity of a residence with a delivery wagon containing three cases of beer and some empty cases The presumption of those who arrested and tried him was that he was guilty of delivering beer in dry territory contrary to law, when the presumption of the prosecution should have been under the law that he was not guilty until he was proven so.

The court stated that the evidence was meagre There was no effort to show where the beer came from. No record was made of the labels on the bottles, and other ordinary measures to prove a case were neglected. Miller might have been given money and been sent to buy and deliver the beer, which is within the right of any common carrier. The court held that a person desiring liquor may send his agent for it, and referred to the decision of the supreme court in such a transaction. In conculsion, the court said that the evidence in this case was too slim and reversed the lower courts.

Judge's Statement.

Judge Kinder in this case offered a statement to the effect that he agreed with the judgment in the matter, but not with the review, as there were provisions under the search-and-seizure act that might be applied if the word "place" had been interpreted to his satisfaction. The search-and-seizure act provides for arrests where liquor is found in suspicious quantities in any "place." The judge was not sure that a vehicle was a "place," as a room or building might be considered, and was disposed to give the prisoner the benefit of the doubt.

In the error proceeding of the C R. Parish company against Martha Miller, the court found that the judgment for alimony given the defendant-in-error against the real estate of Samuel Miller was ahead of all other liens on the property, and the probate court had erred in not regarding it such. The circumstances of the divorce proceeding were reviewed, and it was shown that Mrs. Miller began her suit and obtained an injunction restraining her husband from disposing of or incumbering his property before the judgments of the C. R. Parish company and others were taken. The injunction, according to the ruling of the court, applied not only to the deliberate transfer of Miller's property for money, but deprived him of the right to dispose of it by applying it on debts. If Miller could not dispose of it in that way, his creditors had no right to take it The court also ruled that alimony is not a debt in the accepted term, but is simply a partition of property, a division of property, following a breaking up of the marriage relation, with a view to the support and protection of the wife, who has assisted him in earning the property, and is entitled to her share. The common pleas court view this case in the same light as that of the circuit court, and the C. R. Parish company carried it up on error.

Mautz Defeated.

In the matter of William Mautz against the Toledo Computing Scale company, an error proceeding, the court found no error and the judgment given the company by the lower courts was confirmed. Mautz had returned the scales to the people from whom he purchased them, and claimed that he was not in any way indebted to the company, but he allowed judgment to be taken against him by default and the court found against him.

The error proceeding of John D. Owens & Son against John W. Clark, administrator of the estate of Elmer Birch, deceased, was next reviewed.

The court found that John D. Owen & Son operate a quarry and certain machinery for the crushing and merchandising of stone. In the course of affairs, Elmer Birch, a lad fourteen years of age, was employed for certain work in the quarry by a superintendent authorized to hire men. After a few hours of work, the lad was taken in charge by the man who had charge of the machinery, and who was the authorized agent of John D. Owens & Son He was placed at work in a bin, where he was expected to move certain dust falling from the crushed stone, this dust being in a bin having a trap bottom so that the dust could be dumped down a shaft for further disposal.

The evidence showed that the man who placed the lad in the bin went below, and either through carelessness or forgetting that the lad was in the bin, dumped the dust, and its little human burden into the shaft. When the child came out below he was dead. The court found that there was lack of ordinary care.

The Birch Decision.

In the course of time, a suit for damages was brought by John W. Clark, as administrator. Later the court of common pleas removed the administrator and appointed Harriet J. Birch, the mother of the deceased, as administratrix. The contention of the plaintiffs-in-error was that the case could not be prosecuted to a conclusion by the administratrix, when it had been begun by the administrator. No error was found in this, and the lower court was sustained in its judgment.

In the matter of Lucinda Miller against Susanna Concklin, the demurrer of the defendant which had been sustained in the common pleas court was overruled and the case was sent back to the lower court for trial. Mrs. Miller is seeking to recover $200 for personal services rendered Catherine Plank, who left her property to Susanna Concklin and failed to pay the bill.

John Bingham Wins.

In the error proceeding of the Hall Cronin company against John Bingham, who was awarded $3,500 damages in the court of common pleas, the court sustained the judgment.

The court found that Bingham was injured through the carelessness and neglect of the company, and that the fellow-servant act did not apply in the case. Bingham was working in a dangerous place with the promise of the company that a man would be placed on guard to give him warning when certain billets of steel were to be thrown where he was working. A man was placed on guard, but failed to remain on duty, and Bingham relying on the promise of protection, and ignorant of the departure of the guard was struck by a billet and badly injured. The court found that this case presented a bargain for safety in order to have certain work done, and the company failed to meet its obligation.

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BIG FOUR RAILROAD CUTS ITS EXPENSES

Notifies Crew Running the "Dinky" Train That There Will Be a Transfer Within Sixty Days—People of Mt. Gilead Will Have To Trek to Edison Hereafter.

That the "Short Line," operated between Edison and Mt. Gilead, will be abandoned in the near future, as has been feared, now seems certain. Wednesday the Mt. Gilead employes of the BiG Four received notice that they could expect a transfer within sixty days, and the town of Mt. Gilead will be restricted to such transportation facilities as the T. & O. C permits, and these at present are far from being adequate and satisfactory. A number of years ago the village of Mt. Gilead built the "Short Line" connecting it with the Big Four at Edison and leased it to the then Bee Line, which has operated a "dinky" over it ever since. Now that the Big Four is about to give up the lease, Mt. Gilead finds herself with a railroad on her hands and no one to operate it.

Commenting on the proposed change, the Mt Gilead Sentinel says

Monday evening, E. M. Costen, superintendent of the Indianapolis division, and other representatives of the executive branch of the company visited Mt. Gilead, and from their conversation it seems that within a very few weeks their company will cease to operate Mt. Gilead's railroad, canceling the lease This is in line with the company's economic policy, the line of reasoning being that the wages of eight men can thus be saved—the crew of four on the road, the target man at the crossing, two depot men here and one at Edison.

The portion of Mt Gilead's business men realize that the company is as anxious to develop business as any other concern and are just now seeking to evolve some idea with which to meet the condition in which they find themselves placed. Tuesday morning a movement was on foot to negotiate with the company and endeavor to find what inducement would cause them to bring the main line through Mt. Gilead and whether this could be accomplished. Just now the probability of a decrease in passenger and freight facilities, with possible attendant increase in freight rates is considered a severe handicap to general business conditions.

This will give Mt. Gilead a very black eye, of course. Should this announced intention be consummated, the town will be where it was forty years ago—treaking overland to Edison to take trains.—Galion Leader.

JOINED IN MARRIAGE AT THE PARSONAGE

Miss Genola Phelps and Mr. Dwight Phillians.

Miss Genola H. Phelps and Mr. Dwight Phillians were united in marriage at the First Presbyterian parsonage by Rev. G. M. Rourke, Friday evening at 8 o'clock. The young people were unattended.

Immediately after the ceremony the bridal couple went to the home of the bride's parents where a wedding supper was served. Aside from the family, those present were the groom's mother, of Delaware, and M. E. Bailey, of Conover, an uncle of the bride.

Mrs. Phillians is the only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Judson J. Phelps, of Olney avenue, and is a lovable young woman. Mr. Phillians came here from Delaware, several years ago, and is at present employed in the Erie yards. He is a brother of William and Harry Phillians, of this city, and during his residence here has made many friends The young people will reside in this city.

ANNOUNCEMENT CARDS RECEIVED

Telling of Marriage of Miss Grim at Canton, Illinois.

A number of Marionites have received announcement cards from Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Ellsworth Grim, of Canton, Illinois, well known here from their long residence in this city telling of the marriage of their daughter, Florence Enid, to George Washington Lane, which was solemnized at Canton, Wednesday, September 20.

SCHOOL EXAMINATIONS.

The School Examiners of Marion county, Ohio, will meet for the examination of teachers at the Central school building, Saturday,
OCTOBER 7
NOVEMBER 4
DECEMBER 2

Examinations commence at 8.00 a. m and no application will be received after 10 a. m. All examinations will be written and positively no private examinations will be granted. A fee of 50 cents will be charged on admission to the examination and each applicant will furnish an envelope, stamped and addressed to him or herself, in which a certificate or notice of failure will be forwarded. Applicants will be graded on a scale of 100. No certificate will be granted when the grade in any branch falls below 40. An average of 75 with a minimum of 70 secures a certificate for one year 85 with a minimum of 80 and twelve months' experience secures a certificate for two years, 90 with a minimum of 85 and twenty-four months' experience secures a certificate for three years 95 with a minimum of 90 and thirty-six months' experience secures a certificate for 5 years. An average of 98 with a minimum of 95 and sixty months' experience secures a certificate for 8 years

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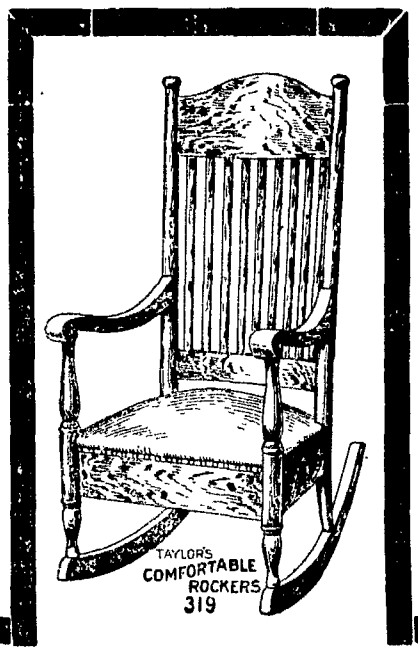

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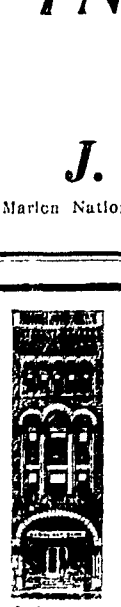

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An exchange simplifies the thing by telling us the comet may be found about two yards above the handle of the Big Dipper but adds with much truth that it's not worth looking at unless one has a fine glass

Strange to say Colonel Bryan has not yet seen fit to point out that the result up in Maine might have been different had the temperance people called to their aid since a trained temperance orator such as he has in mind instead of a mere tyro in the temperance game

A Kansas City judge has decided that a wife has a right to scold if her husband gives her provocation Still it is only fair to husbands to point out that all wives who scold are not always acting within their rights

Champ Clark is quoted as attributing the result up in Canada to corruption Isn't that rather throwing the hooks Champ into Bob La Follette and the other opponents of reciprocity down here?

The papers have given in the past few weeks not less than a dozen instances of deaths resulting from the successful attempts of women to start fires with the stimulating gasoline The coal oil can so used is a deadly weapon but the gasoline can is almost certain to bring about disaster if not death Gasoline should never be brought into a residence Its presence there will void the insurance policy unless its use is especially covered by a special clause attached to the policy The Standard Oil company which has been condemned justly and unjustly for many things has never made sold or recommended a gasoline stove or lamp The person who uses either oil or gasoline to start a fire in a house is either grossly ignorant or criminally reckless

The Toledo Blade tells about a man who took one drink of bootleg whisky and immediately claimed that he owned a railroad If bootleg whisky is half as bad as it is painted it's a wonder one drink didn't make him crazy enough to imagine he owned the earth

An esteemed Columbus exchange tells about an editor who writes three times a week on the subject of finance which recalls the Rev Bob Burdette's remark that people generally talk the most about that of which they know the least

The esteemed Sandusky Star Journal admits that the Dick to Dick fake manufactured for political purposes only is a dead one Dead? Its cradle was its coffin!

The increase in the price of coffee per cup in New York's Bowery from two to three cents shows the sympathetic relation existing between chickory and the real thing

It is significant that while a whole lot of little fellows in Canada went about abusing the United States during their parliamentary campaign no one on this side of the line took serious offense at what was said or at the rejection of the reciprocity pact The course of the Conservative leaders was childish where it was not selfish and the result will simply work injury to Canadian interests but will not make us perish or unneighborly

If John L Sullivan goes to congress we will watch with considerable interest to learn what interpid statesman will acquire merit by calling the old gladiator to order

The way priceless art treasures are being stolen almost persuades us to put away in a safe deposit vault our Daniel Webster Addressing the United States Senate The Signing of the Declaration of Independence and The Three Graces

Two old people in Illinois worsted in the contest of living from the poorhouse entered into a suicide pact rather than be separated Their plan partially failed for the husband aged ninety one his nerve failing dragged his wife from the river into which they had sought death She died of exposure but he was saved This is a news item and not especially remarkable but we use it merely as a text to say that our public charity is at fault when it does not provide for the maintenance as a family of the old people who have lived together for many years and have interwoven their identities that separation partakes of the nature of a sundering operation There should be in this country an old age pension by which aged people should not carry with it the stigma of almsgiving Poverty is not dishonorable unless its causes are dishonorable It is a very imperfect world in the construction of which Deity failed to provide for the case of Joan to the alternative of separation in a poorhouse or death in the river

THE GRAND JURIES AND PROSECUTORS

It is hard to realize that the proposition has been made in good faith that in the new constitution the grand jury system be abolished and the prosecuting attorney be given the sole responsibility of weighing evidence deciding upon actions and presenting them to the trial courts It may be that the operations of the grand jury system have not been uniformly successful and that there is reason for amendment but we sincerely doubt the wisdom of the radical change involved in its abolition

The grand jury is the clearing house for criminal complaints The members of the jury drawn from different parts of the county and supposedly disinterested except as law abiding citizens listen to an ex parte statement of charges and determines whether a crime has probably been committed or whether sufficient evidence is obtainable to warrant a trial They save the time of the courts and many dollars of public money by disposing of many petty complaints born of spite and pleasure No prosecuting attorney would welcome a change which would place upon his shoulders alone the burden and responsibility of deciding what cases should be prosecuted and which ignored Certainly no such power should be conferred upon one man

It has sometimes seemed to us that it would be better to abolish the prosecuting attorney's office as at present maintained He is too much the attorney for the prosecution with an incentive to secure convictions rather than justice Perhaps it might be well to compromise How would it do to substitute for the grand jury an examining court composed of three magistrates with power to investigate charges preferred and to interrogate witnesses on both sides of a question giving the defense the power to waive examination and precluding the right to cross examine by persons other than the examining magistrates This would prevent in many cases the long imprisonment of persons held for the grand jury under present conditions would permit the gleaning of facts while they were fresh and largely do away with the manufacture of evidence It would also wipe out the dread many persons have of giving information because it frequently results in their being held either under bond or under detention to insure their appearance before the grand jury It would be possible to have the examining court meet regularly at frequent intervals or in special session when needed In the long run we believe it would be less expensive and more satisfactory than the present method The prosecutor would under this plan not become such until the examining magistrates had decided that a crime had been committed and an indictment returned As it is at present he is the official prosecutor of every one under even the suspicion of wrongdoing

This is distinctly a lay view but we should like to know how it appeals to those learned in the law

THE OUTLOOK ON NEW CONSTITUTION

Each passing day seems to make more certain that when the new constitution is finally submitted to the electors for ratification the people will decide that it is better to bear those ills we have than fly to others that we know not of In the clouds of unrest and vague dissatisfaction with conditions as they are so many quack doctors and remedies for the ills of the body politic have been advanced that there is little hope that the patient will be permitted to get well naturally In more reasoning times it would be possible to entrust our best men with the task of culling all the suggestions made winnowing out the ideas and reforms that are practicable and needed and putting them into enforceable terms

But all over the state small bodies of men with selfish purpose or impractical dreamers have been resolving themselves into little constitutional conventions presenting their fads for one sided discussion communism in matters in which they have no interest and nominating candidates of the total constitutional convention hell and all for to return impressive titles

But the danger of electing these men does not lie entirely in the possibility of their engrafting upon our organic law certain experiments their devotion to which is the basis of their candidacy The added danger is the idea closest to their hearts which they are not bold enough to proclaim but which they hope to accomplish by indirection after having the constitution in the constitution

As in Illustration in the key Hon Jerry Lipelow is making a statewide campaign for the election of delegates to the convention Although a minister of the gospel he advocates the election of wet delegates in the main not because he believes in the saloon but solely because he feels that the really important change in the construction needed is the adoption of the initiative referendum and recall And yet his purpose is beyond this In him the initiative and referendum mean a step in the direction of single tax or land tax and the abolition of private ownership of the soil This is his real political conviction all others being merely subordinate to that The Socialist goes a step further and wants the initiative and referendum with a view to ultimately abolish all property rights except community rights The saloonist is willing to accept license as an alternative to prohibition but the majority of his class is opposed to any form of regulation the anti saloon worker wants the initiative and referendum to bring about state wide prohibition

It would seem that it would be well for the people who want a practical constitution free from radicalism a working plan under which the people can in orderly course provide a government which will protect life health and property promote peace and education safeguard the morals and insure a reign of law and order to draft men for this duty whose ideas are not warped or fixed whose hands are not tied who are wise honest patriotic and able to reason clearly and practically and act intelligently and with a view to the interest of all classes That a candidate seeks to go to the convention because of views he holds or has already expressed is a good reason for sending some other to the work

A new $100 counterfeit bill is in circulation Of course it's understood that this is stated on hearsay merely

DISREGARD OF THE LAWS WE MAKE

The deadly grade crossing added thirteen more to its death roster in an accident in Wisconsin It would seem that it would be a profitable investment making big returns in human lives if the railroads were permitted to increase for a term the rates of fare the excess to be applied to the abolition of every grade crossing in existence and that all future crossings of railway tracks at grades be prohibited by law

In a current magazine a writer calls attention to one other cause for the larger list of casualties in America than in England upon railway traffic That is the rigid enforcement of the laws relating to trespass upon the right-of-way of the railway The laws in this country are as stringent but they are generally ignored and efforts of the railways to enforce them are resented by those who make a public highway of track or grade and arouse hostility and provoke reprisals of and from those living along the route And yet the law is reasonable and should be obeyed and enforced The right of way is private property legally acquired heavily taxed required to be fenced and guarded

One interurban road in Ohio is making what seems to be a successful and intelligent effort to enforce the law It has posted its right of way every two or three hundred feet with notice of warning against trespass Every time a motorman sees a trespasser on the line now he halts his car and hands the offender a printed notice enclosed in an envelope and requests politely but with official authority that the intruder vacate After six months of this work it is proposed to arrest all offenders This course is of course not practical to the steam lines but something should be done in this direction

Our disregard of the laws we ourselves make is leading to a query as to whether self government is a misgovernment

HOWARD WATTS SWIMS 4 185 FEET IN A TANK

A Very Difficult Stunt in Y M C A Pool

The two weeks swimming campaign which was promoted by H S Bartholomew physical director of the Y M C A came to a close with a contest which was begun Saturday night and closed Monday night During the campaign the physical director gave 112 lessons Of the 111 who took advantage of the free lessons ninety two learned to swim the length of the pool or further A few of these who took the lessons were able to swim before starting the pool and they were not allowed to participate in the contests

In the junior department contest Clyde A Child was the winner swimming 60 feet In the intermediate department Henry Dumm was first swimming 150 feet In the tests by members of the class who had previously learned the art of swimming Howard Watts swam 4185 feet while several others swam over 1100 feet For those who learned to swim fifty feet the physical director will make an effort to secure silver buttons

Turnip and Radish

William Augerstein who resides at No 7 Oliver avenue has on display in the windows of the Gem pharmacy on west Center street a turnip weighing six and one half pounds which he grew at his home The turnip is a monster and has attracted much attention George Benson who resides on the same street also has on display a radish weighing seven and one half pounds

Many a man could hide his light under a thimble

AN AIRSHIP PASSES THROUGH CITY MONDAY

It Travels by Air Route to Rodgers at Salamanca

A new biplane being shipped from Dayton to Salamanca New York and billed to C P Rogers who is making a transcontinental flight for the $50 000 prize offered by William Randolph Hearst was taken through Marion Monday afternoon and was stationed here in the local yards of the Big Four for a time It was billed for shipping

A representative of the Wright brothers of Dayton was here during the day with the airship and when interviewed was not disposed to talk of the plans at this time He stated however that the machine was being shipped to Rogers at Salamanca and would be used in the flight

Rogers has met with repeated accidents to his machine and has made little progress He is following the line of the Erie railroad on his flight

A United Press wire received Tuesday from Salamanca New York is as follows

With both propellors the skid and the warping plates of his aeroplane broken Aviator C J Rogers who flew over Salamanca Sunday afternoon on his coast to coast trip returned today from Red House The machine will have to be practically rebuilt

SIX CANDIDATES ARE GIVEN THE DEGREE

Modern Brotherhood Holds Important Session

MUCH BUSINESS IS GIVEN ATTENTION

Knights of Maccabees Hold Regular Meeting and Dispose of Some Business—Two Applications Are Received at a Meeting of the Red Men—Secret Society Notes

Six candidates were initiated and two applications were balloted on at a regular meeting of the Modern Brotherhood Tuesday evening There was a large attendance and considerable business was given attention After the business a social time was enjoyed The next meeting will be held in one week

Routine business was given attention at a regular meeting of the Knights of Maccabees Tuesday evening There was a good attendance The next meeting will be held in a week

Two applications were received at a regular meeting of the Red Men Tuesday evening Regular business was given attention There was a good attendance The next meeting will be held next Tuesday evening

A largely attended meeting of Sosnowski Rebekah Lodge No 164 I O O F was held Tuesday evening Aside from the routine business arrangements were made to attend the convention of the Thirty Ninth district to be held at Waldo October 2 Following the business session a social hour and musical program was enjoyed and refreshments were served The next meeting will be held in two weeks

Time City Council No 206 Jr O U A M held a regular meeting Tuesday evening at which time the report of the delegate to the state convention was read and accepted Arrangements were made for a pumpkin pie social to be held at the next meeting in two weeks

Only the routine business was transacted at the meeting of the Knights of Columbus held Tuesday evening The next meeting will be held in two weeks

PEACE AND DIGNITY OF TOWN DISTURBED

Leading Citizens Fight While Mayor Is Absent

Leonardsburg can't lay claim to all the excitement in the northern part of the county for Ashley has put in a strong bid for attention Monday morning when H F Bowers the shoe man went to the banking establishment of Charles Sperry it is stated that minor dispute developed into an exciting settlement of an old score regarding a hot deal

It is claimed that after a few defiant words had been tossed back and forth Powers invited Sperry from behind his banker's cage and a lively encounter followed

H J Clevenger another prominent citizen of that village is said to have remarked to a bystander that the fight looked like a slaughter house and then there was more trouble for Sperry immediately took the part of the financial institution

Being an undertaker Mr Cleveger is said to have made remarks about hauling Sperry home in his ambulance but it was not found necessary to resort to such transportation

Mayor C I Lockwell is serving on the jury in this city consequently no warrants have been sworn out and it is possible that the matter will be dropped entirely Delaware Journal Herald

The Bailey Funeral

The funeral of Mrs Sarah C Bailey was held from the F F Brithaupt home on Bryant street Friday morning at 9 o'clock Rev H V McCleary of the Wesley M E church officiating The remains were taken to Mt Gilead for interment

NEW MOVING-PICTURE HOUSE IS PLEASING

The Columbia One of the Very Finest in the State

IS OPENED TO PUBLIC TUESDAY EVENING

Manager W D Clark Will Run Three Licensed Films and Will Give Musical Numbers Each Evening—The House Promises To Meet with Great Favor

Over 1 000 Marionites attended the opening of the Columbia the new moving picture house which arose almost in a night as it were on east Center street Tuesday evening Three fine licensed films were shown there was music by a vocal quartet and a five piece orchestra and foliage and bloom added to the attractiveness of the handsome new theater

Just six weeks ago last Thursday the first shovelful of dirt was removed from the site of the theater Contractor George Orr entered into an undertaking to complete the proposed structure in forty four days and he more than did it for while the theater was not ready for occupancy before six weeks and five days there were enough alterations and improvements made in the original plans to more than justify the three days used over the contract time

Even yet the theater is not what it will be when it is completed The handsome marble and mirror wainscoating of the front has not arrived and probably will not be installed for two weeks or such a matter

It is the plan of Manager W D Clark of the new enterprise to run three licensed films and some musical numbers each evening on the continuous performance plan for ten cents admission The house is equipped with two machines hence there is no tiresome waits between pictures Tuesday night the views did not show so plainly as desired owing to the fact that the draperies on the front windows and doors were not yet in place to shut off the light from the street These draperies are now hung and clear views may be anticipated

The new place of amusement is one of the handsomest in the state, up to anything offered by the larger cities Its front is artistic in the extreme but even at that it hardly prepares the patron for the excellent taste displayed in the finishing of the inside The decorations are in colors pleasing in their softness the opera chairs are comfortable and aisle is wide and best of all the methods of exit and plans of ventilation are ideal Two doors on the alley between the house and the Masonic block afford ample means of egress and two great fans with intakes each side of the screen are capable of exhausting the foul air in the house in a minute and a half These will be operated winter and summer and in summertime the air will be brought into the house through an cooling plant in the cellar which will reduce the temperature of the house to ten degrees below that of the street outside

All in all the new place of amusement is one of which the management and Marionites alike may well be proud

DEPUTY FIRE MARSHAL IS INSPECTING CITY

Will Probably Cause Removal of Old Buildings

As a result of action being taken throughout the state by the state fire marshal a cleaning up will take place in Marion before a great length of time and undoubtedly the city will be benefited by the elimination of many old and dilapidated rooms which will be replaced by new business rooms

With a view to bettering the fire protection and the protection of life and property the state fire marshal is taking steps toward removing all old and weak frame buildings in the business portion of the city D D Wilford deputy state fire marshal arrived in the city Wednesday and accompanied by Chief McFarland the inspection tour was started The deputy state fire marshal is of the opinion that some small old frame buildings are in an unsafe condition and that the finer structures of the city are endangered by them being allowed to stand Following his tour of inspection his report will be filed with the state fire marshal and action will be taken to do away with such structures

WILLARD A OSBORNE WILL GIVE CONCERT

Will Be Assisted in Concert by Chicago Talent

Arrangements are being made for a concert to be given by Master Willard A Osborne the young violinist of this city at Epworth M E church the evening of Thursday December 7 Master Osborne will leave soon for Chicago where he will resume his studies under Hugo Kortschak the eminent violinist of world wide reputation and will return here with Chicago talent to assist him in the first concert he has ever given Many of his Marion friends will be pleased to learn that he is to give the concert and it is expected that it will be largely patronized Master Osborne is the young son of Mr and Mrs T J Osborne of west Center street

When a man starts out to live down his salary he usually succeeds

TWO APPLICATIONS ARE FILED TUESDAY

Want Approval of Sale of Telephone Properties.

Two applications for approval of sale of Bell company properties to local independent companies with supplemental applications for exchanges of service under the new utilities act were filed yesterday with the public service commission

The petitions were set down for hearing October 6

The applications for sale of Central Union properties to local independents are from the Citizens Telephone company of Delaware and the Ashtabula Telephone company It is set out in the petitions that present duplication either leaves business unprofitable for the companies or imposes an undue burden on the public

The value of the Central Union properties at Delaware with an exchange in the city and an unused exchange at Radnor is fixed at $10 973 which is declared to be the figure which the Citizen company has agreed to pay The petition says the estimated saving to Delaware telephone users would be $1 520 —Ohio State Journal

THE FUNERAL OF THE LATE CLAUDE NEELY

Is Held at the Home of His Parents Wednesday Morning

The funeral of Claude W Neely was held from the home of his parents Mr and Mrs George W Neely of east Center street Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock A large number of friends and relatives attended the services which were conducted by Dr D H Bailey of Epworth M E church The casket covered with beautiful floral offerings was borne to its last resting place in the Marion cemetery by six of the boy friends of the deceased They were Floyd Latimore, Ora Shrock Raymond Young Ray Maag Scott Apt and Benjamin Imbody

The employes of the Marion Steam Shovel company and the Huber Manufacturing company attended the funeral in a body

Those in attendance from a distance were the deceased's sister Mrs M F DeWolfe of Kersey Colorado Mrs Sarah Curtis of Dayton and daughter Mrs Lutz of Xenia Mr and Mrs V G Curtis and son Harry of Greenville Mr and Mrs W Pucket of Ft Wayne and Miss Flossie Guinner of Forest

REV D M KELLEY IS COMING TO MARION

Will Succeed Rev H V McCleary at Wesley Church

Rev D M Kelley of St Johns circuit in Lima district of the Central Ohio conference has been named to succeed Rev H V McCleary as pastor of the Wesley M E church As was shown in the conference appointments Monday Rev Mr McCleary will go to Kalida He will leave shortly to take up his new work at that place Rev Mr Kelley comes to this city highly recommended and he is regarded as a very able minister

MARION GAS COMPANY PROPERTY VALUATIONS

A Big Increase Is Made by the State Tax Commission

The state tax commission has made great increases in the taxes of the Marion Gas company in this city The tax valuation of the property of the company in the county last year was $7407 and it has been increased to $ 18 167 Last year the company paid taxes in the sum of $1 265 and if the anticipated rate of one and one tenth mills holds good for this year the company will pay taxes in the sum of $3 00a an increase of $1 23[illegible]

CITY IN BRIEF

Chops Her Thumb—While chopping some corn for her chickens shortly after 5 o'clock Tuesday afternoon Mrs Mary Dutt of south Grand avenue had the end of the thumb on her left hand cut off The hatchet she was using slipped and cut the member through the nail She went to the office of Dr C I Wirt where the injury was dressed

Coming Inspection—The Woman's Relief corps held a called meeting in the Druids hall Tuesday afternoon to make arrangements for the inspection October 3 Mrs Mary Simones of Toledo will be the inspecting officer Another called meeting will be held Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock to complete arrangements for the inspection

Aid Society Meets—The Aid society of the First Reformed church met with Mrs Robert Heidenbaugh of Orchard street Tuesday evening About thirty were present The evening was passed socially and refreshments were served The next meeting will be held the first Thursday in October with Miss Edith Smith of Monroe street

Mrs John Stone Hurt—Mrs John Stone of Lee street was the victim of a serious accident Tuesday evening that will confine her to the house for some time Mrs Stone was riding in a buggy on the Garden City pike when the horse became frightened and caused her to jump from the rig As a result she broke all of the ligaments on the inside of her right knee

It is easy to get anything you want—if it happens to be something that nobody else will have

BUSINESS MEN HOLD IMPORTANT MEETING

West Side Progressive Association Is Planned.

EFFORT WILL BE MADE TO HELP WEST MARION

Substation of Postoffice Is Wanted and Bank Is Sought—Efforts Will Be Made To Draw Business to the West End of the City—Plans of the Organization

About twenty five of the business men in West Marion met at the Tower pharmacy on west Center street Tuesday evening with a view of organizing under the title of the West Side Progressive association The aim of the men is for the mutual improvement of the business conditions there

The business men gathered early in the evening and Clifton Lower was chairman of the meeting J C Salisbury was chosen temporary secretary and secured a list of the men in attendance During the evening the various interested parties were appointed to ascertain the outlook for specified improvements and instructed to report at the next meeting which is to be held in the office of the M H Gunder Undertaking establishment on Blaine avenue

The business men favor better lighting along the streets in front of the stores and are especially anxious for a substation of the local postoffice for the handling of mail and the sale of stamps there It is planned to erect hitching posts for the accommodation of farmers and new business enterprises will be solicited It is aimed to solicit new men at once to enter business in that part of the city and the promoters are especially desirous that a bank be located there for the accommodation of the people

Although the movement is yet only in the bud there is every indication judging from the interest taken at the meeting Tuesday evening that the organization will meet with great success in its work

The next meeting is to be held next Tuesday evening at 7 30 o'clock

BERT ULLOM IS KILLED BY TRAIN

Related to Many Ullooms in This Neighborhood

Bert Ullom of Mt Gilead cousin of F F and W F Ullom of this city Alonzo Ullom west of Marion and E S Ullom, of east Marion was killed by a freight train between Edison and Mt Gilead early Sunday morning

Mr Ullom who was about thirty two years of age was returning to Mt Gilead from Galion Saturday night on the midnight train Early Sunday morning his mutilated remains were found scattered along the T & O C tracks It is supposed that the unfortunate man attempting the Big Four train it had also started to walk on the track to his home but that he became drowsy sat down on the track and fell asleep

Three freight trains passed over the T & O C from the time Ullom left Edison until his remains were found and it is believed that the first train struck and killed him and that he was promptly again struck by the other trains

The deceased leaves a widow and five step children

THE LOWERS ARE IN AN AUTO ACCIDENT

People Well Known in This City Injured Sunday

Mr and Mrs Sterling Lower of Washington C H who are well known in this city figured in an automobile accident near Jamestown last Sunday as a result of which Lower suffers a severe injury to right hip together with other bruises while his wife suffered broken nose and internal injuries Mr and Mrs Lower were riding with Mr and Mrs Van Pelt of Washington C H and along the road they came upon a rig the driver of which refused to turn out The car struck the rig and then skidded plunged into a tree The occupants of the machine were thrown out and the auto was badly damaged and Mrs Van Pelt were injured Mrs Lower is believed to have fared quite serious injuries

UNITED IN MARRIAGE AT HOME OF BRIDE

Miss Gertrude Roberts and Mr Copley

Miss Gertrude Roberts and Carl Copley of Kenton were united in marriage at the home of bride's parents Mr and Mrs B Roberts of Leader street The evening at 8 o'clock The marriage service was read by Rev J S Bowman of Harpster and was witnessed by the bride's parents Miss Nina Roberts a sister of the bride Mr and Mrs Kenneth Riley Mrs David Frazer of Upper Sandusky The bride wore a Copenhagen blue silk poplin and looked very pretty

Mrs Copley has a wide circle of friends in this city Mr Copley is employed by the Maxwell Motor company is leaving soon for Newcastle Indiana

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PNEUMONIA IS CAUSE OF DEATH

Mr. and Mrs. John Porter Lose Little Daughter.

T C Porter, who resides west of the city, has received a message announcing the death of his two-year-old granddaughter, at Newcastle, California, as the result of an attack of pneumonia.

The child was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs John Porter.

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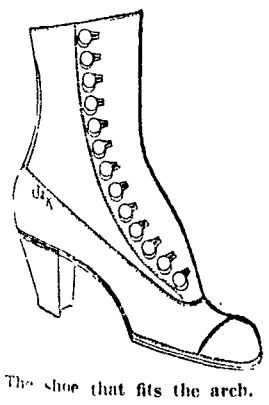

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TELEPHONE COMPANY BUYS KRANER PROPERTY

Pays $9,000 for Building Site on Main Street.

WILL ERECT STRICTLY FIRE-PROOF BUILDING

Company Plans To Erect Modern Structure in Which Its Business May Be Conducted Without Any Fear of Fire — Convenience of Patrons Is Also Considered.

The Marion County Telephone company closed a deal, Friday, whereby the company becomes the possessor of the Samuel Kramer property, located on south Main street. The price paid for the property was $9,000. The deal means that the company will in time operate in its own quarters.

It is the intention of the company to erect a strictly modern and fire-proof building on the property purchased. The property is sixty-six feet in width and 165 feet deep. The structure will probably be two stories high and will be occupied entirely by the company. The chief object of the company in owning its own building is to be in an absolutely fire-proof structure with a view to better protecting the property of the company, and at the same time affording the subscribers of phones better protection in the use of the telephone.

Another object of the company is to better facilities for the extending business, and better the service. A number of extensive improvements are contemplated in the exchange, and on the outside.

The new building will give the company ample room to carry on the growing business and will be arranged for better convenience of the telephone subscribers. The work of building will not be begun until next year, and it is not known how soon the company will move into the new building.

REV. W. A. FERGUSON IS PAID DEEP TRIBUTE

La Rue Appreciates the Services of Pastor.

The Star has made reference to the selection of Rev. W. A. Ferguson as pastor of the Lee Street Presbyterian church here, and his acceptance. The LaRue News pays the reverend gentleman the following tribute in its issue of last week:

At the earnest solicitation of the membership of the Lee Street Presbyterian church in Marion, Rev. W. A. Ferguson, pastor of the Presbyterian church in this village, has accepted the call and will begin his ministerial work in that city about November 1. Rev. Mr. Ferguson and wife came here from Marseilles nearly one year since and both have become quite popular with the people of this village and vicinity. Rev. Mr. Ferguson is a profound student of the Bible and his discourses have attracted much favorable comment from the attendants at his church. His kind disposition and his manifestation of love and affection for the community have endeared him to everybody, and his decision to leave his present field of labor has prompted many to utter words of commendation for the excellence of his citizenship, and to hope that his worth as a minister and as a man may be appreciated by the people of Marion as well as it has been here

A SMALL BLISTER CAUSE OF DEATH

Blood-Poisoning Results from Slight Injury to Lad's Foot.

The death of Paul K. Cooper, the sixten-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H Cooper, residing two and one-half miles north of Galion, near Windfall, resulted Thursday morning from a seemingly trivial blister which came upon the boy's foot as a result of the amount of walking that he did while he was in Columbus attending the State fair.

At the time the blister formed little if any thought was given it, either by the boy or by his parents, none of them having the remotest idea that it would be attended by serious consequences, and it was not until Sunday evening that the boy complained of not feeling well and it was found that blood-poisoning was developing from the slight abrasion of the skin caused by the blister. He continued to grow worse until death relieved his sufferings. The boy was born in Liberty township, July 10, 1895. He is survived by his parents, three brothers and one sister.

The funeral will be conducted Saturday morning at 8 o'clock, from the home by the Rev. Mr. Rothenberger. —Galion Leader.

A FORMER RESIDENT DIES AT TIFFIN HOME

Mrs. Christopher Martin Passes Away Thursday.

Mrs. Christopher Martin, a former resident of this city, died at her home in Tiffin at 12:45 o'clock Thursday afternoon, at the age of about eighty years. Death was the result of a long illness due to the infirmaties of old age.

Mrs. Martin left Marion with her husband and family about fifteen years ago. Mr. Martin died there several years ago. The deceased is survived by four daughters.

The remains were brought to this city for burial at 11 o'clock Sunday.

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THE COLORED PEOPLE HOLD BIG CELEBRATION

Emancipation Day Is Pleasantly Observed.

LINCOLN PARK IS SCENE OF GATHERING

Z. R. Jackson, of Columbus, Is the Leading Speaker of the Day. Shows What Is Being Done for the General Uplift of the Colored Race. An Evening of Pleasure.

Friday marked the forty-ninth year since the issuing of the emancipation proclamation by President Abraham Lincoln, and in remembrance of the day which led to the freeing of the negroes from slavery, the colored people of the city held a picnic at Lincoln park. It was an ideal day for the celebration and a fair-sized crowd enjoyed dinner at the noon hour.

The Grand United Order of Odd Fellows joined in the picnic. Mayor J G Seiter, who was to deliver the welcome address, failed to make his appearance while one of the out-of-town speakers could not be present. Z. R. Jackosn, of Columbus, grand master of the Grand United Order of Odd Fellows, was the speaker of the afternoon. He delivered an excellent address on "Odd Fellowship," and gave a history of the order. In his remarks, he stated that the order was doing much towards the uplifting of the colored race by way of education, Christianity and brotherly love. He told of the growth of the order and the chief aim is to see that no person of poor character enters the ranks.

Following Mr. Jackson's excellent address on lodge work he was called to give an address on "Emancipation Day." Mr. Jackson spoke of the life of the colored race in slavery, of how the negro was freed, and his treatment since that time. He spoke of the world being composed of God's people, and regardless of race or color, all are working for the same end. For this reason, he said that all classes should be judged by the heart and not by the color of the skin. After his address, John J. Crawley delivered a few remarks appropriate to the day.

At the conclusion of the speaking, Jackson's Saxaphone trio, of Columbus, rendered a program throughout the evening, and dancing was enjoyed. Refreshments were served during the evening.

The committee on arrangements and entertainment was composed of A. F. Roberts, Samuel Lett, Samuel Jones, J. T. Hurley, F. M. Baldwin and G. J. Cooper.

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If you have gone into the fields and gathered what you believed to be edible mushrooms: if you have eaten them and experienced no symptoms of evil, and then ten to twelve hours later your body and legs are suddenly gripped with cramps that are followed by nausea; if then nervous spasms gnaw at your throat, set your jaws and blur your vision—well, then it is too late, that's all!

Those supposed mushrooms that you picked, ate and perhaps gave to other members of your family were Amanito Phalloides, the "destroying angel," most deadly of toadstools, named so because of their beautiful whiteness, which has lured many mushroom gatherers to certain death. For there is no antidote for the "destroying angel."

Following the death of more than scores of persons from eating toadstools, probably Amanita Phalloides, the New York Evening Mail took up an investigation against gathering wild mushrooms and to point out where safety lay for those who picked and ate them.

The question, is it safe to pick wild mushrooms for eating, was answered by Professor C. C. Curtis, head of the department of botany at Columbia University, as follows:

"The average layman who goes out into the fields to gather mushrooms for eating purposes is taking about the same chance as the man who lights a cigar in a powder magazine."

Professor Curtis said that the only path along which safety lay for the mushroom picker was to have the scientific knowledge which would enable him to identify positively every one of the twelve poisonous varieties of toadstools found in this country.

Enthusiasts who are expert in distinguishing the dozen poisonous mushrooms from the 1,000 that are edible use a process of elimination. They know all the deadly toadstools and reject them; they know the tough or tasteless ones, and throw them away, the rest they eat.

There are on record about 1,000 kinds of fleshy mushrooms or toadstools The word toadstool means nothing in itself It is merely the popular name for those mushrooms which are not good to eat. Of the 1,000 kind recorded, there are, besides the twelve poisonous types, many other varieties which are not fit for food because of toughness, taste or odor.

Of the poisonous varieties the following are the most common: Phalloides, always fatal; the Amanita Phalloides, always fatal, the Amanito Muscaria, often fatal, and old or decayed specimens of Helvella Esculenta, fatal at times

The poison in mushrooms which cause loss of life are phallin in the Amanita Muscaria and helveic acid in the Helvella Esculenta.

In speaking of the old-fashioned tests to distinguish edible mushrooms from poisonous toadstools, Professor Curtis said:

"There is no one test that is infallible. The old one of touching a silver spoon to the cap of the mushrooms, the spoon turning black signifying that the fungus was a poisonous one, is tommyrot. The test of peeling the cap and looking at the gills on its underside is also not infallible Some of the poisonous mushrooms can be peeled, and some of them are pinkish beneath.

"The idea that Italians always know edible mushrooms from poisonous ones is also a silly notion. I have seen Italians throw away good mushrooms and pick poisonous specimens. The only safe way is to be familiar with the poisonous species.

"As a general rule, the poisonous mushrooms grow more often near wooded sections than in open lawns or fields.

"One of the characteristics of the poisonous varieties, though there are exceptions, is a ring or hood directly beneath the cap, and a 'dearth cap,' or cup-like bulbous formation, at the root of the stem. These characteristics are noticed in both the Amanita, Muscaria and the Amanita Phalloides.

"I believe from the symptoms of the persons who died in the Bronx from mushroom poisoning, that they are the Amanita Phalloides. I know this deadly fungus occurs thereabouts.

"The Phalloides kills differently from the Muscaria. Its poison, the phallin, does not make its presence known by evil symptoms until many hours after it has been taken. Then it is too late for any emetics or other agents to dispose of it, and death always results from dissolution of the blood corpuscles.

"There is no bad taste, as in the Muscaris, to warn the eater. He suddenly finds himself in convulsions and dies in two to four days, and sometimes sooner.

"The Muscaria makes itself apparent sooner, and the action of the poison muscarine is different. Muscarine gradually slows up the action of the heart until death results.

"This type of poison makes itself apparent in one to four hours. Stupor, giddiness, visions and strange mental phenomena accompany pains in the abdomen, and soon the patient falls into insensibility. Atropin is the antidote for muscarine, and the lives of many toadstool eaters have been saved by its prompt use by a physician.

"Few persons appreciate the danger in so-called toadstools, and it is time for all mushrooms sold in stores to be examined by inspectors, as is done in Italy."

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ALBERT FREEBURG IS BROUGHT TO MARION

Charged with Having Burglarized the Kelly Store

HIS COMPANION IS STILL IN HOSPITAL

Detective Masterson Interests Himself in the Case Coming Upon a Clue When He Visits a Pawnshop Herbert Douglass Is Arrested and Taken to Indiana

Albert Freeburg aged twenty two years who was arrested in Columbus by Detective Rourke on a charge of being implicated in the burglary of the clothing store of W P Kelly on west Center street two weeks ago as detailed in Saturdays Star was brought back here Sunday morning by Pennsylvania Detective Edward Masterson

Masterson went to work on the case and through his efforts and those of the Columbus officers Walter Carmen aged seventeen was located in St Francis hospital in Columbus suffering from a bullet wound The officers said nothing to Carmen of his being suspected of being implicated in the burglary and waited the arrival of his companion to call on him As soon as Freeburg called at the hospital he was placed under arrest

The arrest was the result of Detective Masterson calling at a third street pawnshop in search of some stolen shoes and finding some of the clothing stolen from the Kelly store Four suits of the clothes and one of the suitcases were found in the shop they having been exchanged for eight dollars and another coat and vest Freeburg was wearing one of the shirts taken from the Kelley store when arrested

Carmen claims to have shot himself in the back of the right hip while cleaning a revolver As a result of the location of the bullet wound little faith is placed in his story It is the supposition that he was in other trouble and thus received the wound He knows nothing of the arrest of his companion and will be arrested and brought here as soon as he is able to leave the hospital

W P Kelly made a trip to Columbus last week and identified the clothing He later filed affidavits against Freeburg and Carmen charging them with breaking into his shop and robbing it of clothing and other articles to the value of $2 0

Freeburg was arraigned before Justice Charles E Gompf Monday He waived examination and was bound over to the grand jury His bond was fixed at $500 in default of which he was sent to jail

The sheriff of Rochester Indiana and Erie Officer J R Hardman of Huntington telegraphed the local police to meet them at Erie train No 4, Saturday evening and asked that Herbert Douglass of Olney avenue be arrested and held for them Douglass could not be found by the local officers, but was caught by the two visiting officers while enroute to his rooming place about 11 o clock

Douglass is wanted in Indiana on a charge of car breaking having confessed to have stolen 5 000 cigarets and some other goods from a car of the kine in Indiana The cigarets were disposed of by Douglass to the Billiken club in Rochester After being arrested Douglass made a confession of the robbery and was taken back to Rochester Saturday night

Much excitement was caused on north Main street in front of the St Marys Catholic church about 11 20 o clock Saturday night the excitement resulting from what seemed to be a free for all shooting encounter As near as could be learned the trouble was between two colored men and two Italians the shooting being the outcome of some trouble that arose and has been existing among the participants

The Italians were enroute north on Main street being on the west side of the street Previous to the shooting it was predicted that there would be trouble in a very short time and as a result some parties were close enough to see some of the battle According to what was learned by the police the colored men fired three shots at the Italians the latter returning two shots The indications are that the men had a hand to hand battle in the street in front of the church there being a large pool of blood on the sidewalk and blood marks almost to the center of the street The marks of two of the shots fired by the negroes were found on the steps of the church one of the bullets being found One of the shots fired by one of the Italians struck the side of the brick wall of the Houghton Merkle company this being fired as the negroes took to their heels down the alley The bullet from the other shot pierced one of the windows in the front of he place and lodged in some crating The bullets found were from thirty two caliber revolvers

After the police arrived on the scene of the trouble they took up the train of blood and followed it down Silver street to two homes on Commercial street both these houses which are occupied by Italians were searched At one of the homes the officers were informed that a man had come there and asked permission to wash He was bleeding badly from a wound in the left wrist and claimed to have received a cut The occupants of the house claimed they did not know his name and that he left after washing the wound

It was later reported that four Italians boarded a train for the East but investigation developed that only one Italian boarded a train here and he was in no way connected with the trouble A driver of an automobile passed the scene during the shooting and a couple of the bullets passed so close to him that he could hear them singing through the air Other persons in the vicinity became frightened and ran to places of safety Further investigation of the trouble is being made by the police and it is probable that some arrests will be made

Joseph L Bush was taken to the Dayton workhouse Saturday by Chief Klinefelter to start the sentence imposed on him about a month ago by the mayor Bush was tried on the affidavit of his wife charging him with failing to provide for his minor child The case was prosecuted by the humane society and Bush pleading guilty to the charge was fined $10 and the costs in the case and sentenced to six months in the workhouse The latter sentence was suspended by Bush agreeing to furnish two dollars a week for the support of the child Bush returned to his wife Friday night the officers were called to the Bush home on Wilson avenue to settle some trouble between Bush and his wife When the officers arrived the trouble had quieted When Chief Klinefelter went after Bush Saturday morning the latter was unloading a load of coal Bush stated to the chief that it was his intention to surrender himself and start his sentence and would have saved the chief the trip if it had not been for his promise to unload the coal The fine and costs in the case will total $ 9 08 which with the sentence will keep Bush in the workhouse about seven months

CHARLES SMITH DIES SATURDAY MORNING

Death Comes After an Illness of Only Two Weeks

FUNERAL WAS HELD MONDAY AFTERNOON

Mr Smith Came to Marion from Warrensburg in 1888, and Has Lived Here Since—A Member of Masonic Fraternity and the Powell Sunday-School Class

Charles Horatio Smith died of a complication of disease at his home at No 309 Orchard street Saturday morning at 1 30 o clock after an illness of two weeks

Mr Smith was born at Warrensburg December 10 184 and moved to this county in 1888 He was twice married His first wife who was Mary Katheryn Rodgers died September 7 1898 He was again married December 14 1905 to Mary Bell who survives him He also leaves a daughter Mrs H J Barnhart of west Church street a son James R Smith of Bellefontaine avenue and two brothers W A Smith of Springfield and F C Smith of Chard avenue

The deceased was a member Marion Lodge No 70 F A M and Lydia Chapter No 83 Order of Eastern Star He was also a member of the Powell Sunday school Pass of the Epworth M E church He was in employe of the Marion Steam Shovel company and was held in high esteem by his fellow workmen and friends

The funeral was held from the late residence Monday afternoon at 30 J J Dr D H Bailey of the North M E church officiating The remains were interred in the Marion cemetery

VALUATIONS OF THE N Y P & O PROPERTY

Increases Are Made by the State Tax Commission

The state tax commission has submitted the increase in the valuation of the railroad property of the N Y P & O railway system to the county auditor that the valuations may be placed on the tax duplicate The increases as follows the first figures being the valuations for 1911 and the second figures for 1910

Tuscarawas $8 01 $ 7 00 Caledonia township $8 89 Caledonia village $11 00 $ 9 60 Claridon township $61 $ 5 3 Claridon village $48 0 10 Marion district $10 $1010 Marion township $1 0 $ Marion Company corporation $11 0 $1000 Green Camp $ township $ 0 $110 Green Camp village $ 0 $1 0

CLAUDE W. NEELY IS KILLED BY HIS COUSIN

Deplorable Accident at the Pinyerd Residence

FATAL MISTAKE IN HANDLING WEAPON

Verne Pinyerd and the Victim Are Examining Weapon When It Is Discharged and the Bullet Passes Through Left Side and Stomach Victim Dies in a Few Hours

Claude W Neely aged twenty years July 6 died at o clock Sunday morning as the result of a bullet wound received by the accidental discharge of a target pistol in the hands of Verne Pinyerd about o clock Saturday evening The accident occurred in Pinyerds room at Pinyerds home No 111 south Prospect street

The young men are cousins and work together in the shops of the Hoover company the victim having learned his trade as a machinist Neely had not been working for over a week as a result of an injury to his hand while the victim of the shooting had been off since last Tuesday as a result of a mishap hunting Both young men are fond of gun and hunting they spent several days in the woods hunting squirrel during the week They were to have taken a trip to the country Saturday in search of game but their plans were not carried out

About a half hour before the shooting the young men were together at the office of Dr J B Taylor on east Center street where their injured hands were dressed They joked with Dr Taylor and left the office to go to the home of Pinyerd Both possessed a number of guns of almost every description and they were in Pinyerds room looking over some of his weapons and getting in shape for a little hunting trip which they were planning

Examining Weapon

Pinyerd picked up a twenty two caliber target pistol and was about to demonstrate some of its fine points He was not aware that the weapon was loaded and by accident it was discharged The bullet struck Neely who was standing at arms length from Pinyerd a couple of inches below the heart entering near the floating ribs on the left side and penetrating the stomach The unfortunate victim did not fall when shot and his companion did not know where the bullet had lodged until Neely said Get a doctor Verne as soon as you can I am shot and going to die

Other members of the Pinyerd family who heard the shot rushed to the room and Neely was placed on his cousins bed Drs A Rhu L Taylor and P Young were hastily summoned and the victims parents were notified The boys father hastened to the Pinyerd home and the mother followed soon after The boy informed his father that he was certain he was shot through the heart and would die but his father tried to discourage him in that belief At the time the surgeons arrived they gave little encouragement for the recovery of the boy but everything possible was done to relieve his suffering and save him

Hemorrhages Follow

A short time after the shooting the victim suffered a hemorrhage He seemed to rally after this and his condition and pulse were encouraging up to 1 o clock when he suffered a second hemorrhage From that time on until death came he had but little pulse and was in a semi conscious state most of the time

During a period of perfect consciousness and when the unfortunate young man was fully in possession of his faculties he exonerated his cousin and relieved him of all blame in the matter He told his father that it simply happened to be his cousin who was holding the weapon instead of himself and under the circumstances Pinyerd was just as liable to have been shot as he

Claude W Neely was the only son of Mr and Mrs George W Neely of No 10 east Center street No young man in the city was better known and better liked than he and he counted his friends by the hundred He was of jovial disposition always wearing a smile and through his genial manner he made friend with every person with whom he came in contact He was ambitious young man and never allowed anything to come between him and his duties He usually devoted his spare time to hunting or target shooting He was the possessor of a fine collection of guns weapons of various sorts being his hobby

Verne Pinyerd who was the closest companion of his cousin was nearly prostrated over the accident and was compelled to take to his bed requiring medical attention

The unfortunate victim of the tragedy is survived by his parents and one sister Mrs M E DeWolfe residing at Kenton Colorado The funeral was held from the late residence No 10 east Center street Wednesday morning at 10 o clock Rev D H Bailey officiating Interment followed in Marion cemetery

It window sash and are hard to open pour a teaspoonful of melted lard between window frame and casing putting a little on the rope this will help

MISS ADA GAST BECOMES A WIFE

Is Wedded to Perry L Carrier Sunday Afternoon

Miss Ada M Gast and Mr Perry P Carrier were united in marriage at the First Presbyterian parsonage by Rev G M Rourke Sunday afternoon at 4 o clock They were attended by Miss Ethel Stone and the groom s brother Mr Pearl Carrier

The young people left Monday morning for a short wedding trip to the southern part of the state

Miss Carrier is a daughter of Mr and Mrs Frank Gast of Leader street She is a young woman of a pleasing personality She has been employed in the ribbon department of the Uhler Phillips store for some time past

Mr Carrier is a son of Mr and Mrs William Carrier of Scranton avenue and is employed by the Ohio Tractor company Both have many friends in the city

YOUNG PEOPLE ARE JOINED IN MARRIAGE

Miss Roma A Welch and Mr Arthur C Wiley

Miss Roma A Welch and Mr Arthur C Wiley both of Morral were married in Delaware Thursday afternoon at 1 o clock at the St Pauls M E parsonage by Rev Mr Hains

The bride is the daughter of Mr and Mrs C W Welch of Morral and the groom is a son of Mr and Mrs F H Wiley of that place Both have many friends in the vicinity in which they reside

Mr and Mrs Wiley will reside on a farm near LaRue

MRS J H HARRISON DIES SATURDAY

Death Comes at Her Home in St Paul

Word was received here Saturday morning announcing the death of Mrs J H Harrison which occurred at her home in St Paul Minnesota Saturday morning The deceased was very well known in this city having resided here until one year ago last May She was about sixty six years of age

The deceased is survived by a husband and one daughter The remains were taken to Akron for interment

The Hurts Honored

Mr and Mrs W I Hurt have been appointed by Governor Harmon as delegates to the convention of the board of charities and corrections to be held in Toledo October 6 to 9

THEY CELEBRATE GOLDEN WEDDING

Mr and Mrs Christian Kinsler Married Fifty Years

EVENT CELEBRATED SOUTH OF THE CITY

Big Dinner Served at the Noon Hour Large Number of Relatives in Attendance — Members of the Ladies Aid Society of the Reformed Church Present

Mr and Mrs Christian Kinsler celebrated their golden wedding anniversary at their home just south of the city on the Prospect pike Sunday They were surrounded by about thirty six of their relatives including five of their seven children Edward of Denver, Colorado and Frank of Lockport New York being unable to attend They were handsomely remembered with gifts many of them being of gold

At the noon hour a fine dinner was served and the afternoon was spent in the enjoyment of social pleasures

The affair was also in celebration of the marriage of their son Fred Kinsler of Cleveland who was married Friday afternoon to Miss Marie Fassett of that city by Rev P J Zechiel at the First Reformed church

Mr and Mrs Kinsler were married fifty years ago Saturday In addition to their seven children they have eighteen grandchildren Their children are Fred of Cleveland Edward of Denver Colorado Frank of Lockport New York Mrs Emma Thompson of Columbus Mrs Carrie Cellier of Cleveland Rudolph and William of Marion They have resided at their present home for the past thirty three years Both are enjoying good health

Those attending the celebration aside from Mr and Mrs Kinsler were Mr and Mrs Christian Koehler William Kinsler Rudolph Kinsler and son of Marion Mr and Mrs Fred Kinsler Mr and Mrs Gustave Geldner Misses Anna and Emma Geldner and Messrs Paul and Arthur Geldner of Cleveland Mrs Emma Thompson Mr and Mrs Francis A Wiggins Mr and Mrs William J Morton Mr and Mrs Albert Ambruster Mr Rose Rogers Miss Flora Ambruster Mr Matt Ambruster Mrs Mollie Griffith Mrs Lulu Thompson Miss Florence Jones Miss Henrietta Wahlemaier and Mr Walter A Rodgers of Columbus Mrs Mary Kadel and Mr I A Kadel of West Park Mrs Emma Upham of Cleveland Mr and Mrs John Koehler Mr and Mrs F N Uncapher Misses Christina and Hannah Drollinger and the members of the Ladies Aid society of the First Reformed church

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THE UNITED BRETHREN CONFERENCE CLOSES

Assignment of Pastors to Various Churches

BISHOP MATTEWS PRESIDING OFFICER

Four Ministers Are Ordained During the Last Session and After a Sermon by the Bishop the List of Assignments Is Read—The Conference at Sandusky

The seventy ninth annual session of the Sandusky conference of the United Brethren church held at Fostoria last week was closed Sunday noon with the reading of the assignments of the pastors to the different churches

Dr C M Matthews the bishop in charge of the conference ordained as ministers C H Myers Penrose Red James Prenneman and W H Hubur after which he delivered the closing sermon of the session

The Presiding Elder Rev A C Siddall read the following list of appointments

Attica G W Housemin Piscom J H Arnold Bloomdale T B Bovey Bloomville J J Lutz Bowling Green O J Knepp Belleville R J Tussing Bryan O J Traughbaum Pulvrus J J Miller Carlington J C Turner Cares C D Moore Center J P Hight Chicago O C Wright Columbus Grove M L Gibson Continental Cora Preston Cridersville M Miller Defiance W F Barber Delphos to be supplied Delta C O Callander Deshler and Custar J W Tilly Dorr street and Montclova A J Smith Dowling S I Valentine Dunkirk W R Arnold Lilde W J Wind Elmore W O Montague Findlay R A Powell Fostoria C B Fletcher Galion A Snider Gibsonburg to be supplied Greenspring C H Huchison Grover Hill W J Spring Harrod to be supplied Helena O M Martin Hepburn H A Zuspin Hicksville P O Rhodes Hicksville circuit J Bolduc Hoytville A D Swanbaugh Johnsville and Williams I D Idle LaCarne M J Wottring Lakeview and Santa Fe Charles Zantis Leipsic I L Barnes Lima first church A W Ballinger Lima High street L M Counsellor Marion J W Miles Marion circuit E M Burroughs McClure M L Carberson McComb Lewis Moore Middlepoint J H Kunert Monte zuma D Heinlin Montpelier C A Alexander Napoleon A C Rice North Baltimore J O Rhodes North Robinson F W Xantis Northwest Charles Rex Oakwood C W Harwood Osceola, I P Lee Old Fort J Kirk Pioneer C W Lilly Peoria to be supplied Pleasant Grove G L Burnell Portage W S Sage Port Clinton J A Tellers Rawson W D Bishop Rising Sun J W Shock Rockford S F Wenger Salem O F Rowe Shelby A L Davis Sidney D C Hollinger St Marys Minnie Hall Swanton I I Ingle Sycamore L G Stover Sycamore circuit to be supplied Tiro L E Ames Toledo Colburn street M R Ballinger Toledo east Broadway C N Crabbs Toledo Memorial C M Eberly Toledo Second church R H Turner Van Buren A M Smith Van Lue T C Biddle Van Wert F A Lilly Wauseon I H Williams West Findlay L H Myers West Mansfield W H Bennett Wren W J Roberts Rev W O Fries associate editor Sunday school literature Rev J W Hicks Rev J W Ferguson Rev R I Champion evangelists at large Rev J J Pout manager Bonebrake seminary Dayton Rev W C Shupp district superintendent Missouri Anti Saloon league Rev J I Hensley chaplain Widdells Children s home Rev J F Adams professor pedagogy and oratory York college Nebraska Rev R C Wind professor music Columbus Penrose Red James Prenneman and W H Hubur students in Otterbein university P L Rumbaugh and W C Demuth Bonebrake seminary

Properties Sold

Two houses and lots involved in the foreclosure proceeding of the Citizens Building & Loan company against Millie J Baldwin were sold Saturday afternoon under orders of the court One property valued at $ was sold for $9 0 and one property valued at $8 was sold for $900 the Marion Real Estate company buying both

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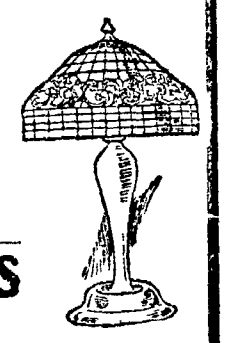

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MOTORCYCLE AND AN AUTO GO TOGETHER

Motorcycle Is Smashed and the Auto Wrecked.

ACCIDENT OCCURS ON NORTH MAIN STREET

Motorcycle Turns into Main Street from Fairground as the Auto Goes North on Main—Rider of the Motorcycle Is Badly Bruised Auto Attached.

A motorcycle on which Ezekiel Cox residing east of Morral was coming into this city, collided with an automobile being driven by I L Taylor of Columbus who was enroute to Bowling Green at the corner of Fairground and north Main streets Tuesday morning just before noon and as a result of the collision both the motorcycle and auto are badly damaged while Cox suffered some severe injuries

According to the story of traveling men who were in front of the A G Moss grocery Taylor was coming north on Main street at a rate of speed which they estimated at about twenty five miles an hour Cox was coming east on the Garden City pike and upon reaching Main street turned to go south on that street When he made an attempt to pass the auto on the right side of the street he was struck and his machine run over They say Taylor failed to get to his side of the street and that Cox came almost to a stop before he was struck

Taylor when seen declared that a team was passing on one side of the street and that he was unable to get far enough to his side on this account to avoid striking Cox

The motorcycle which was a new one purchased this week by Cox was badly damaged The auto had one wheel almost demolished and the front of the machine was damaged considerably

Cox suffered several bruises but was able to come up town where he consulted an attorney

Tuesday afternoon a writ of attachment was issued in the court of Justice Charles F Gommf on the affidavit of Cox and the automobile was attached Cox asks damages to the extent of $60

B W STONE NEXT MORRAL POSTMASTER

Will Succeed S M Stouffer in Short Time

Morral O Sept 27—[Special]—The applicants who took examination for the local postoffice received their returns Thursday B W Stone stands at the head of the list Nine persons took the examination Mr Stone will relieve S M Stouffer the present postmaster as soon as he receives his commission

Mr and Mrs L J Dennis Mr and Mrs W A Morral Mr G I Watts and Henry Clinger attended the Methodist conference at Marion Sunday

Mr and Mrs Arthur Wiley who were married at Delaware last Thursday have returned to Morral and are residing with Mr Wiley's parents

Ike O I Smith of York was the guest of friends here Thursday and Friday

Mr and Mrs C J Schultz daughter Hazel and son Harold were guests of Mr and Mrs A G Welshnea Wyandot Sunday

C E Sandridge and Arthur Ingle spent Sunday with friends at Westerville

Miss S M Stouffer spent Sunday in Marion as a guest of her sister Mrs H S Ruhl

Mrs C J Schultz daughter Hazel and son Harold were visitors in Agosta Monday

Little Miss Evalyn Willoughby who is attending school in Upper Sandusky spent the week end at her home here of Morral

Misses Hattie Moore and Adda Victor who are employed in the silk mills at Marion spent Sunday at their homes here

Morral baseball team was defeated by the Star Rocks of Marion Sunday by a score of eight to four

Mrs I Hoban and S M Stouffer transacted business in Meeker Monday

Rev Mr Taylor of Marion preached at the Methodist church Sunday morning

I H Landon returned Sunday evening from a business trip to Columbus and Plain City

Miss Bharat Burnside of Nevada was here at the home of Mr and Mrs O Washburn

Mrs Ruth Andrews of Hartford City Indiana and Mrs Frank Collins of Bucyrus are guests of Mr and Mrs H N Martin

Mrs H N Foster and children of Caledonia were guests at the same home Tuesday

W J Spoon was a visitor at Marion Tuesday

Mrs Lydia Messenger returned Saturday from a visit with relatives at Big Island and Meeker

Mr Emmet Scofield son and daughter have moved to Marion where they will make their future home

Mr and Mrs Vernoll Young and sons have moved to a farm near Big Island

Misses Beaulah Cottrell and Lessa Perkins were visitors in Marion Monday

Mrs Blanche McPherson and Misses Gertrude Brewer and Edna Stonerunner of Marion spent several days last week with Miss Hazel Shaw Thursday the young women and Harold Schultz autoed to Upper Sandusky, where they were guests at the home of Mr and Mrs J P Barnthouse and attended the Wyandot county fair

A merry crowd of high school pupils and a few invited guests made up a nutting party Saturday The trip was made to the Hedge hickory grove in a hay wagon

Samuel Beck, who has a disabled foot is much improved

Carl C Lewis spent Sunday at the home of his parents at Upper Sandusky

NUMBER OF NOTES FROM GREEN CAMP

Little Happenings at Village and in Vicinity

Green Camp O Sept 27—[Special]—Miss Pearl Pangborn and daughter Helen visited Prospect and Marion friends last week

Mr and Mrs D H Porter Mr and Mrs W A Porter and Maynard Clark motored to Mansfield Sunday and spent the day with Mr and Mrs Arliss Porter

John Cummins of Maumee is the guest of friends here

Mr and Mrs Scott Foos and son of Richwood and Mr and Mrs Clarence Bricker spent Sunday with Mr and Mrs Jacob Bricker

Mrs Bessie Burnhart of Columbus is the guest of Miss Nora Savidge this week

Mrs John Fish of Marion visited here over Sunday

Mr and Mrs William Long motored through to points in Pennsylvania where they will visit friends for a few days

A J Lippencott moved his family to near Mt Blanchard where he has rented a large farm

Caleb Gambril of Dayton is spending a few days with his mother here

Mr and Mrs J M Lanius and Mr and Mrs David Schwaderer were entertained Sunday by Mr and Mrs William Slack of Marion

Mrs Mary Free returned last week from an extended visit with friends at Richmond Indiana

Merle Gambril of Battle Creek Michigan spent Sunday with his parents Mr and Mrs J E Gambril

Home from Montana

R E Savage of this city recently returned from Montana where he has superintended for the past year the construction of two large steam shovels for a mining company The mines are located in the Ruby valley near Virginia City One of the shovels installed by Mr Savage is capable of digging a hole in the ground fifty five feet deep to secure the gold that is in the sand The company for which Mr Savage installed the shovels has a claim extending over 17 000 acres

MARION FRIENDS ARE GIVEN BIG SURPRISE

Miss Florence Bland and Mr Thomas Snyder Elope

YOUNG PEOPLE ARE MARRIED AT NEWARK

The Marriage Rites Are Performed by Rev Father J M Ryan in Newark at 5 O Clock Monday Evening—Mr and Mrs Snyder Have a Wide Circle of Friends in City

Miss Florence I Bland daughter of Mr William Bland of east Center street this city and Mr Thomas Snyder son of Mrs Frank Snyder of Newark were the principals in a wedding ceremony performed at Newark Monday afternoon at 5 o'clock at which Rev Father J M Ryan assistant pastor of St Francis de Sales church officiated

The bride and groom were attended by the mother of the groom and Mr Marion Snyder

The groom left his place of employment the Susquehanna Silk mills last Friday Miss Bland met her lover there—they had been sweethearts for about seven months and was the guest of the groom's mother up to the time of the marriage

The matter was a profound secret to the majority of their most intimate friends until Tuesday when the fact that they had been married in some way leaked out and a telephone message to Newark brought the details of the ceremony

When the Star called at the Bland home Mr Bland was absent but assurance was given that the marriage had been solemnized Other than that no information was vouchsafed

The friends of the bride and groom are awaiting news of their return to give them a royal welcome

A Different Douglas

The Star erred in its statement Monday that the Herbert Douglass who was arrested by Erie detective J R Hardman of Huntington Saturday evening, was the Douglass residing on Olney avenue The Douglass arrested resided in West Marion

Contract Is Let

The contract for the concrete masonry for the Little Scioto bridge at the keener pile crossing was let to Thomas F Hurley by the county commissioners Monday The contract price is $1 199

Lad Is Injured

Paul Lore aged thirteen years an inmate of the Waddel Children's home fell from a hickory tree and fractured both bones of his left forearm.

BOARD OF EDUCATION IS GIVEN A SURPRISE

W. T Morgan a Teacher, Quits Place Unexpectedly.

TENDERS RESIGNATION MONDAY EVENING

The Board Changes a Regular Meeting into an Executive Session and Finally Decides To Accept the Resignation—Morgan Leaves for Boston—Other Business

The resignation of W T Morgan teacher of history and political science in the Marion High school was received at an executive session of the board of education at the High school building Monday evening Superintendent Henry A Hartman presented the resignation to the board and it came as a surprise to several of the board members

Mr Morgan has accepted a position as teacher of economic history in Boston Massachusetts high school at a salary of $1 400 a year The maximum salary in the school is $2 000 a year While here Mr Morgan received $1,100 a year Mr Morgan has been in the local school for two years In his resignation he stated that he decided to resign for several reasons among the most prominent of which is the desire to better myself financially and professionally and at the same time avail myself of the very best opportunities for advanced study and promotion"

The Enrollment

The resignation of Mr Morgan was the only matter taken up in executive session and previous to this session various matters of business were given attention Members J W Jacoby H Edmund Hill R J Pennell and M B Dickerson were present

Superintendent Hartman reported the enrollment in the school up to September 22 In the grades up to that time there were 2 076 pupils and 296 in the entire schools Last year at the same time there were 2 08 pupils in the grades and 289 pupils in the entire schools A net gain of sixty eight was shown

The following magazines were authorized for the High school library Shorthand Writer Education Current Literature Correct English Independent World's Work Literary Digest National Geographic Magazine Scientific American Review of Reviews Outlook Harpers School Review and Modern Electric

It was arranged to close the schools Thursday and Friday in order to allow the teachers and the pupils to attend the Marion county fair The teachers were able to secure their pay for the past month Wednesday or Thursday

Clerk H Edmund Hill was authorized to pay the city teachers for attending the institute held here recently as they present their certificates of attendance

Member R J Pennell moved that Misses Anna Fite Olla Allmendinger Elizabeth Ruehlmund Etta Jacoby and Abigail Harding have the same salary for the year paid them as last year The men in the school were employed by the year while the women were employed by the month and according to Member Dickerson the women were fearful that if the school year is cut down to eight months on account of the Smith one per cent law the men would receive a much higher salary for the year than the women As it is now the men receive their salaries for the year and the women for a half month less than last year The motion of Mr Pennell failed to have a second and no action was taken

Miss Ella Mears was nominated as a teacher by Superintendent Hartman and elected She was recently stationed in the seventh grade at the Olney avenue building Miss Mears comes from near LaRue

Miss Lenore Pennell was elected stenographer in the office of Superintendent Hartman

The matter of purchasing hardware for the annex of the Silver street building was referred to the buildings and grounds committee with power to act

THE VIRDEN RESIDENCE SCENE OF GATHERING

Sheldon Virden Celebrates an Anniversary of Birth

LaRue O Sept 27—[Special]—Mr and Mrs N H Virden entertained at a birthday party Thursday evening at their pleasant country home in honor of their son Sheldon About forty of his friends were present and a luncheon was served The guests spent the evening in music and dancing

Mrs N Sifritt and Mrs James Pownell spent Thursday in Marion calling on friends

Mrs N Sifritt Mr and Mrs Charles Rogers and Mrs Georgia Jeffries spent Thursday in Kenton on business

Mrs William Caston and Mrs William March were Marion callers Thursday

Mr and Mrs M Click of Marion returned home Thursday after a week's visit at the George Landon home south of town

Mrs B G Kemper was a Marion caller Thursday

Mr David Pent was a Marion caller Thursday

Mr and Mrs Charles Outland and Mrs John Ketterer of Zanesfield Logan county stopped at the Rev J A Sutton home Wednesday en route to the M E conference in Marion

Mr and Mrs David Drake and Mr and Mrs Ray Clarke and daughter, Alice, attended the Upper Sandusky fair Thursday

Miss Helena Mouser of Marion, passed from Thursday until Sunday as guest of her grandparents, Mr and Mrs B C Ridgeway

Mrs Benjamin Waples of Marion spent from Thursday until Saturday at the Altman Raub home, south of town

Mrs H McClellan of Agosta, spent Friday at the Elmer Longberry home

Mrs George Landon has returned home after a week's visit at the Fred Landon home in Marion

Mrs K J Coil of Marion and Mrs L D Horton spent Thursday at the Don Clement home

Mrs Charles Nichols of South Dakota is at the S Rizor home to stay a few weeks

Miss Ethel Riley of Marion spent Thursday and Friday at the C G Riley home west of town

Mr and Mrs Samuel Long of Flint Michigan, attended the funeral of the latter's father Mr Beriah Miller here Friday

Mrs Amanda Huff of Marion was a guest at the D D Clifton home the latter part of the last week

Mrs E D Sprague of Fairfield, Illinois returned home this week after several weeks visit with relatives and friends

Mr and Mrs James Anderson of Hutchinsville spent a few days last week at the Harrison Sprague home

Mrs Jeremiah Jones and daughter Flora spent the week in Canton

Mr William Raub was a Marion visitor, Saturday

Mrs D D Clifton and mother Mrs Minerva Campbell were Marion shoppers Saturday

Mrs Ella Miller and daughter Fern of Agosta spent Saturday and Sunday at Mrs Martha Jones home south of town

Mrs S A Mills spent Sunday with Mrs P P Reubens in Marion

Mr Robert Kennedy of Versailles, and Mrs Cyrus Dilley of this place spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr and Mrs Frank Blue of Marion

Mrs Jane Mears went to Marion Saturday to spend a few days as the guest of her daughter Mrs John Bain

Mr and Mrs A B Reems and son Bain of Kenton are visiting at the H C Conklin home this week

Mr and Mrs John Church and daughter Alma of Marion spent Wednesday at the Joseph Terry home north of town

SHERIFF STARK ASKS BIG INDEMNITY BOND

Must Be Protected in Sale of C, D & M Property

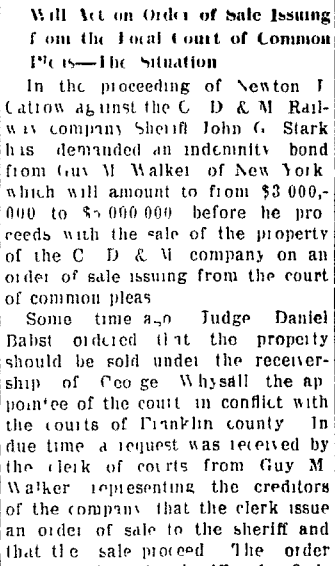
SHERIFF WILL WAIT FOR SECURITY ASKED

Wants an Indemnity Bond of $3,000,000 to $5 000,000 Before He Will Act on Order of Sale Issuing from the Local Court of Common Pleas—The Situation

In the proceeding of Newton J Catlow against the C D & M Railway company Sheriff John G Stark has demanded an indemnity bond from Guy M Walker of New York which will amount to from $3 000,000 to $5 000 000 before he proceeds with the sale of the property of the C D & M company on an order of sale issuing from the court of common pleas

Some time ago Judge Daniel Babst ordered that the property should be sold under the receivership of George Whysall the appointee of the court in conflict with the courts of Franklin county In due time a request was received by the clerk of courts from Guy M Walker representing the creditors of the company that the clerk issue an order of sale to the sheriff and that the sale proceed The order was issued to the sheriff, who finds it necessary to protect himself and his bondsmen by demanding a sufficient bond in indemnity to provide protection against any suits that might be brought

The demand for the indemnity was forwarded to New York by the attorneys for the sheriff last Friday and all future proceedings so far as the sale of the road is concerned hinge upon what may be done by Walker and his clients



DR C R HAVIGHURST.

Dr Havighurst was **Monday** appointed the new pastor of Epworth M E church, succeeding Dr D H Bailey.

AN ERIE DETECTIVE SHOOTS H. E. VAILE

Victim Is Suffering of a Very Bad Wound.

STORIES DIFFER AS TO CAUSE OF SHOOTING

Vaile Is the Father of Four Children and Is on the Way to Lima Where He Has a Position—Detective Orders Him To Jump Off Train and Shooting Follows.

As a result of an encounter with Erie detective A L Bryant, Harry E Vaile, of West Barberton is confined to the Marion City hospital, suffering of a bullet wound as the result of a shot from the detective's revolver The stories of the two principals differ to some extent and the prosecution of both parties is probable

Vaile and two other fellows boarded Erie train No 7, which was leaving here about midnight The men were beating their way just back of the engine Bryant boarded the train in the same place and ordered the men off as the train was leaving Two of the fellows complied with the order, but Vaile refused to leave the train According to the story of Vaile, the detective told him to get off or he would shoot him Vaile says that he informed the detective that he could not get off at the rate the train was going, whereupon Bryant fired at him The ball struck Vaile under the right arm, passing through the shoulder and coming out midway between the shoulder and the neck

Bryant relates a different story of the trouble He says that when he ordered Vaile off, the latter attacked him A scuffle took place on top of the tender of the engine and both men fell the lives of both of them being saved by their falling on the coupling Vaile recovered himself and Bryant claims to have been dragged for some distance between the cars, the only thing saving him from being cut to pieces being the fact that he kept a death grip on Vaile's clothing Bryant states that during the time he had his revolver in the sleeve of his coat and fired the weapon by pulling the trigger with his little finger According to his story if the bullet had hit a vital spot and caused Vaile to drop, Bryant would in all probability have fallen under the train

Following the shooting, Bryant states that he jumped off after recovering himself from his perilous position Vaile crawled over the engine and informed the engineer that he had been shot The engineer brought the train to a stop and Vaile was taken off at the tower in the West End yards A switch engine carried him to Kenton avenue, from which place he was taken to the hospital Vaile is a married man and the father of four children He was enroute to Lima, where he had secured employment

Bryant was sworn in as an officer by Mayor Seiter, a couple of months ago, being hired as assistant to Lieutenant W A Ellsworth, of the Erie police force

DELIGHTFUL AFFAIR AT GAST RESIDENCE

Mr and Mrs S H Gast Are Host and Hostess.

Prospect O Sept 27—Mr and Mrs S H Gast delightfully entertained the teachers of the Prospect Public schools members of the board of education and their wives and a few friends at their pleasant home, Wednesday evening The company enjoyed music and social chat and was favored with several readings by Miss Anna Marie Howard of Marion The dinning-room was artistically decorated in water melon vines The guests were Misses Hortense Van Osten Mary Griffith, Sylvia Belle and Mary Belle Cellars Fern Harriman, Florence Abbott Mrs Libbie Dowell Mr and Mrs J B Barker, Messrs Harry and Oscar Gast Mr and Mrs A E Johnson Dr and Mrs M M Dix, Mr and Mrs Charles Pace and daughter, Elizabeth of Toledo, are spending the week at the home of Mr and Mrs L D Harshbarger

Miss Bess McCansland was a Columbus visitor Monday

Misses Freda Lantz of Kenton Gail Kurtz, of Forest, Mamie Brigel and Mr John Brigel, of Marion, were entertained at the home of Mr and Mrs H H Smith Sunday

Mr and Mrs I M Greek are visiting their daughter Mrs W M Pettit in Dayton

Mrs Mattie Duglas of Forest was the guest of Mrs T J Cellars and other relatives last week

A very interesting game of basket ball took place at the school grounds Friday evening, between the Prospect and Ashley teams At the close of the game the score stood thirteen to fifteen in favor of the Prospect team

B C Sells and family were guests at the home of S O Thomas, Sunday

Mrs A H Dunbar and Mrs H N Mounts were Marion visitors Thursday

Dr G H Masters, was called to Pennsylvania Friday, by the serious illness of his brother W F Masters

Mrs M J Lightner, Mrs Anna Lightner and son, Iven spent Saturday and Sunday with relatives in Marion

Judd Bottenfield and family returned to their home at Oblong, Illinois, Friday, after a pleasant visit at the home of E D. Roberts south of town

R M Horn, of Sandusky, spent Saturday and Sunday with his family here

Dr and Mrs Charles Finefrock and daughter Doris spent Sunday with Mr and Mrs Elmer Roberts at Lima

Mr and Mrs R T Pace and daughter, Evalyn, of Cleveland spent Sunday at the home of Mrs George Johnson

C E Livenspire, of Zanesville was calling on old friends here Monday

Mrs Charles Sauer and children Charles, Jr, and Mary of Washington C H are spending the week with her sister, Mrs Leonard Harmon and other relatives

Miss Mary Hawk, returned to her home at Altoona, Pennsylvania Sunday after an extended visit at the home of her uncle T A Hawk

Mrs D P Hord, entertained at her home south of town Thursday, Mrs E P Curtis Mrs E E Wotring Mrs C P Herr, Mrs Martha Lewis and Mrs W W Ocker

Dr R P Baker of Lancaster was a guest at the home of J N Freeman, Sunday

Mrs A F Maynard and daughter Ethel spent Sunday with relatives in Columbus

Mrs A L Gast was in Columbus, Monday

BIRTHS.

A son was born, Saturday to Mr and Mrs Vernon Carter, of northwest of Meeker

A daughter was born, Thursday night to Mr and Mrs Clyde Miller of Davids street

Twins, a boy and girl were born, Sunday morning, to Mr and Mrs Robert W Turner, of Delawre avenue

A son was born, Monday to Mr and Mrs John Goodman, of Mary street

JURIES ARE DRAWN FOR OCTOBER TERM

Those Who Will Serve on Grand and Petit Juries.

SHERIFF AND CLERK ACT TUESDAY MORNING

Reply in Divorce Proceeding of Gayle Kinsler Against Clifford Kinsler Is Filed Tuesday—A Civil Action Against Hildreth & Pace. Common Pleas Court Matters.

Clerk W W Klinefelter and Sheriff John G Stark drew the grand and petit juries for the October term of court, Tuesday morning

The grand jury will report for duty October 17, and the petit jury will report October 24 The juries are as follows

Grand—John Fellmuth, First ward David H Clifton, Montgomery F M Hazen, Prospect, Oscar Markett, Third ward F C Knowles Scott, Jackson Stouffer, Salt Rock, W A Dusenberry, First ward, William Lindsey, Claridon, John Allmendinger, Pleasant Henry Bibler, Grand Prairie W C Luellen, Third ward, T J Hoyles, Marion township S W Allmendinger, Waldo Jacob Crock Tully George Krause, Fourth ward

Petit—J J Loyer Richland, R S Ruth and J D Bowers, Green Camp, D K Drake and W H Maullet, Montgomery John Croft and W A Early Claridon J T Shaw and Thomas E Day, Fourth ward, Israel Iley Third ward H B Ridenbaugh and Patrick Hanley and John Bland, Second ward, Louis Uhl First ward Samuel Schwaderer, Pleasant, H W Schweinfurth, Waldo John Buck, Salt Rock W L Dawson Scott J H Thibaut, Prospect J D Bowers, Grand

In the divorce proceeding of Gayle Kinsler against Clifford Kinsler in the court of common pleas, the plaintiff has filed a reply through her attorneys Mouser & Moloney, She denies all the allegations in the answer of the defendant, except such facts as to marriage as are set forth in the petition

J H McLain & Company has begun a suit to recover the sum of $425 from the firm of Hildreth & Pace on account

A partition suit has been begun in the court of common pleas by Rose Waddell against Daisy P Waddell and others, to partition the estate of the late Henrietta Waddell which consists of fifty-three acres in Waldo township

The attachment proceeding of Mary Taylor against C Mayo Osborne has been dismissed on the request of the parties concerned

In the matter of Paul Strine and others against Herbert S Scovill, the plaintiff has been given leave to file an amended petition

In the matter of the Home Building Savings & Loan company against E E Bush leave has been given the defendant to plead by October 17

B K Stanfield has been given a judgment for five cents against Constable J F Ullom and others, in the court of common pleas The judgment was rendered on default of answer by the defendants The court found that property taken by the constable by legal process was rightfully the property of the plaintiff.

MARION COUNTY FAIR IS OPENED TUESDAY

Exhibition Is Bigger and Better Than Ever.

MANY HUNDREDS OF PLEASING EXHIBITS

The Speed Program Is One of the Best in the History of the Marion County Agricultural Society—A Review of the Things the Patrons May Enjoy.

The Marion county fair, was thrown open to the public, Tuesday, with the largest number of exhibits ever on display at the local grounds

Secretary J A Knapp and his assistants had been kept hustling for the past week making out entry cards, the number of which goes several hundred ahead of last year About 6,000 entries were made this year, nearly 500 more than that of the year previous Every department is filled to overflowing and, as Mr Knapp expressed it

"We have so many chickens that I guess we will have to plant some more trees to get enough roosting places for them"

Nearly all old time exhibitors were on the grounds and many new ones had been crowded in, which goes to show that the county fair is not a thing of the past, as many for a time feared but is awakening with renewed interest every year

Speed Department.

The speed department showed an entry of 125 horses and the show class had a nice increase over last year An extra tent had been erected for the cattle and some of the horses Everything was full Horses, cattle, sheep and hogs showed an increase not only in quantity, but quality

The northwest corner of the grounds was alive with poultry, bent on making itself heard above the squawk of the youngsters' toy whistles and horns

A visit to the art hall soon convinced the visitor of the refinement and industry of Marion county's fairer sex. When the art hall of a county fair is barren and unattractive it is always a sure indication that the women of that vicinity are not much concerned about the finer things of life, the things that beautify and enoble the home life of the community But this can not be said of Marion county for its art hall is always one of the main attractions of the fair Hand-painted china, pictures, all kinds of work of the needle, beautiful linens, pillows, etc, are crowded into every available space, decorating the walls and filling the show cases Music is also to be found here, the pianos occupying a prominent place among the other works of art

In Vegetable Hall.

In the vegetable hall king corn, again reigned supreme both the yellow and white variety having a larger display than last year Potatoes, fruits, canned goods, everything to make one hungry were found here in great abundance

The machinery and vehicle tents occupied their customary places and each company had a good display

Many fine horses were entered in the speed list and the race program was a strong one

Then there was the usual amusements which are indispensable at a county fair The ever-present merry-go-round, which has held its own for many years, was ready for pleasure-lovers and the balloon and ice cream-cone men were there to serve their little patrons, the children No gambling was allowed on the grounds and the fakirs had to go The shows were conducted on a perfectly legitimate basis, as heretofore

Taken all in all the fair this year was better than ever before

AGOSTA BRIEFLETS OF PAST FEW DAYS

Items of Interest Gathered About Village.

Agosta, O Sept 27—[Special]—E D Horton returned home, Tuesday after a pleasant visit with relatives in Columbus and Granville

Mr and Mrs C O Barnthouse, Mr and Mrs J L Canouse Mr and Mrs H K Brown Mr and Mrs Croft Bauer, Mr and Mrs G T Nesbaum, Mr and Mrs Lewis Strawser and Mr and Mrs W G Dutton attended the M E conference in Marion Sunday

F J Horton Vena Johnston and Mae H Young were guests of relatives at Magnetic Springs Sunday

Mrs M J Redding spent Sunday at the home of Henry Clark, north of town

Mr and Mrs Lorenzo Iper were guests of Mrs Aley Baker Sunday

Mr and Mrs Charles Williams spent Sunday at the home of Mr and Mrs Ernest Bricker, of Green Camp.

Mrs Elizabeth Miller spent the week end with her daughter, Mrs H. E Hill, of Marion, and attended conference

Mrs A N Tonguet and son, Donald, of Marion were guests of Mrs Arthur Tonguet, Saturday

Mrs Jane Mason was the guest of Mrs Silas Dickason, south of town, from Friday until Sunday

When arrested in Berlin recently a beggar was found to possess $16-000, which he admitted had been gained by begging

A woman's idea of a good figure depends on whether she is thick or thin.

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MRS. HARRY CLAFFEY DIES OF TUBERCULOSIS

Death Comes After an Illness of Five Months.

DECEASED MEMBER OF CHRISTIAN CHURCH

The Young Married People's Embroidery Club Is Pleasantly Entertained by Mrs. R. W. Lenox—Time Passed in Needlework and Chat. Some Richwood Briefs.

Richwood, O., Sept. 26.—[Special.]—Mrs Harry J. Claffey died at her home in Beem's addition, Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock, of tuberculosis. She had been ill during the past five months. She was twenty years old and had been married about a year and a half. Her maiden name was Cora Pearl Sine. She was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs Ulysses Sine and was the eldest of eight children. Her death marks the first break in the family circle Just two months before the death of the mother, an infant son died of pneumonia. The deceased was a member of the Christian church, from which funeral services were held Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock, the pastor, Rev. E. E. Pedicord officiating. The remains were laid to rest in Claiborne cemetery.

Miss Ilvah McCurdy, of Marion, visited relatives in Richwood, during the past week.

The Young Married People's Embroidery club was very delightfully entertained, Friday afternoon, by Mrs. R. W. Lenox, at her home on north Clinton street. After the guests had spent several pleasant hours chatting over their needlework the hostess served a dainty lunch. The only guests aside from the club members were Mrs. C. E. Kagay, and little daughter. Mrs. H. G. Kyle, of Wood street, will be hostess to the club, Friday afternoon, September 29.

Harry Mealey, of Marion, spent Thursday with his grandmother, Mrs. Margaret Mealey.

Miss Mae Harriman has returned from a visit of several weeks with her sister, Mrs. W. L. January, of Columbus.

Mr. and Mrs. John Martin, of Barberton, have been the guests during the past week, of the former's sister, Mrs. B. C. Humphreys and Mrs. Lizzie Martin.

Miss Madge Dilsaver is enjoying a two-weks vacation from her duties as bookkeeper for Baker, Gill & Company, and is visiting her sister at New Holland. During her absence, Mrs. Harry E. Pennywett is performing her duties.

Mrs. Roy Price and little daughter, of Newark, have been the guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Smith, of west Ottawa street, since Thursday.

Mrs. F. E. Wright has been the guest o fher sister, Mrs. Noble Wood, of Ann Arbor, Michigan, during the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. James Price, who have been visiting relatives in Scotland and in Builth Wells, Wales, during the past several weeks, are now at Southampton, England, and will sail for America September 29, having spent a delightful summer abroad.

Clarence Howison spent several days with his sister, Mrs. John Dennison, of Marysville, during the past week.

Mrs. Ray Hedges and Mrs. Henry Hoxworth visited relatives in Marion, last week, and attended conference.

Mr. and Mrs. Jason Case motored to LaRue Thursday, and spent the day with C. H. Topliff and family.

Mrs. George W. Kosht spent Thursday as the guest of Mrs. E. R. Hotsenpiller, of Magnetic Springs.

Mr. and Mrs Orvil Wood, of Kana, Kansas, have been the guests of the former's uncle, E P. Wood, and family, during the past week.

Mrs. Margaret Hailey and son, Charles, of Cleveland, are the guests of Mrs. Annie Croft and family, of Beatty avenue.

Mrs. Annie Vaughan has been the guest of her brother, A. H. Vaughan, and family, of Piqua, during the past week.

Mrs. Orville Marriott visited her sister, Mrs. S. C Wright, of Marion, last week, and attended conference

Mrs W. G. Hamilton was called to Ridgeway, Friday, by the illness of a relative.

J. E. Long and sister, Mrs. Charles Ward, left Friday, for a visit of two weeks with relatives in Ft. Wayne and La Grange, Indiana

Mrs. Edward Tobey and children spent the past several days with relatives at Raymond

Mrs Guy Dilsaver, of Columbus, has been visiting at the home of Simon Dilsaver, south of Richwood during the past few days

Mrs T P James has been visiting friends in Elwood, Indiana, during the past week, having been called to that city by the death of a friend

Mrs M W. Hill visited her sister, Mrs Melissa Gill, of Marion, during the past week, and attended conference

Mrs F O Penney left, Sunday, for Chicago, to visit her sons, R C and Harvey Penney She was accompanied to that city by her grandson, Harold Penney, a son of R C Penney, who spent the summer in Richwood

Mr. and Mrs J L Simmons returned to their home in Marion, Saturday, after a visit with the latter's sister, Mrs A. D Evans

A number of guests attended the 12th Anna Jones, a fellow student, four miles west of Richwood, Friday evening, and gave her a complete surprise in honor of her fifteenth birthday anniversary. The young people spent the evening very enjoyably and were hospitably entertained by the young hostess and her sister, Mrs C. S. Stevens.

Rev. Frank A. Bown and daughter, Miss Ethel, of Spokane, Washington, who have been visiting relatives in various cities in the East, during the past few weeks, visited Dr. S. J. Bown and family, last week. They left, Thursday, for their home in the West.

Miss Elizabeth Foote, of Fredrickstown, has been the guest of Miss Elizabeth King, during the past week.

S F. Wilton, of Indianapolis, has been the guest of Mr and Mrs. Thomas D. Fletcher, during the past week

MEN ON LOOKOUT.

By William T. Ellis.

The International Sunday-School Lesson for October 1, is "The Prophet Ezekiel a Watchman." Ezekiel 3.

Experience enlarges understanding. Many of the Bible figures become clear only after we know Bible lands Acquaintance with dozens of walled Oriental cities, from Jerusalem to Peking, has made the figure of the watchman upon the walls a natural one. The aerial scout is the substitute in modern warfare for the ancient watchman, pacing the walls or peering out from the towers above the gates and at the corners of the walls.

Riding south from Babylon across the Mesopotamian desert, I saw upon the horizon strange towers, like unto the pictures of the tower of Babel in the old family Bible. "What are those things, Shamu?" I asked my servant.

"Arab, he look out all time for enemy, and he tell his friends. Too much bad men come, all people go in tower and fight."

Then I knew where the Psalmist got his figure of Jehovah as a high tower: for in Arabia one finds himself still living in Bible times. These towers, built of mud brick, in the centre of every Arab settlement, are places of outlook, points of vision, and strongholds of defence. Verily, "My high tower is He."

And we must conceive of old Ezekiel, who was perfectly familiar with just such structures as the reader may see today, if he will adventure the desert, as a watchman, set to warn the scattered sheep of Judah against their foes.

The Prophet's Thankless Task.

Like his contemporary, Jeromiah about whom we have been studying, Ezekiel, had no easy work. There is no more thankless task than that of the prophet. The greater the prophet, the truer his insight, the less likely he is to be favorably received. Almost uniformly has it been true that the great seers have been rejected, and usually abused, by their own time.

Yet there is another side. Mrs. Bianchi has limned the psalmist-prophet in a few rich lines:

"Poor as a shepherd!
Only crook and sheep-dog
With him on the hillside in the hoar-frost lying,—
Naught save his shepherd's cloak for wordly wealth beside,
Lent from his shoulders to still a young lamb's crying.
Rich as a shepherd!
Steeped in psalmist vision
Richer than reigning kings or potentates, by far!
Waiting the sign that makes the world
Love's kingdom,—
Only his dog for wealth and eyes to see the star!"

Who would exchange Ezekiel's vision for the sordid blindness of any of the rich and peanut-souled courtiers among his people? Here is a great life truth Better poverty and persecution, with a clear eye to see God, than all the pleasure that wealth can buy at the cost of soul-vision.

The Day's Demand.

Swift to present conditions runs this lesson's message concerning the need for true watchmen. From every side comes the call for men whose eyes and lips God has touched The function of the watchman is frequently relinquished by modern preachers They would rather be able to say clever and complimentary things at afternoon teas than to declare great and terrible and timely truths from their pulpits They have no taste for the hard life of a Jeremiah or an Ezekiel Their motto is, "Be popular at any price Learn how to be 'a good mixer' Teach men to count you a good fellow The majestic isolation of the old prophets is out of date now' So we have a courtier-like Philadelphia preacher advising the members of Coatsville's mob of murderers to enter into a conspiracy of silence to defeat the ends of justice That way lies popularity with lynchers

That dreadful crime, and most of the others that are kin to it, has a relation, not very remote, to the failure of the church of today to speak a clear-cut message with respect to sin and the law Our times are lawless, alike in the low stratum of the mob and in the supposedly higher levels of politics and big business." Imperceptibly, we have come to substitute sugar where Christ meant salt. salt is biting, but it preserves, whereas sugar is sweet, but putrifying The loose notions of oriental pantheism, masquerading under the fashionable guise of new thought, or kindred cults, are pervading the church and destroying the fiber of righteousness. Where is the "Thus saith the Lord" in the face of this intellectual, spiritual and moral laxity?

The preacher's job is a hard one, of course. It is easy enough to write plain truths in a newspaper of wide circulation; but to speak the same truths to a congregation of your neighbors, with whom you must live and from whom you must draw your support, is quite another matter. When leading members will be offended by plain truth touching their darling sins, it takes real prophet stuff to utter that truth. But Ezekiel had to live with the Jews, who heard his message.

Putting It Up to the Church.

It is safer to preach about the heathen than to preach about tax-dodging, or bad temper, or injustice to the laborer, or crooked politics. But the sent man is, like Ezekiel, commissioner first with a message to the house of Israel God's concern is first of all with God's people. His way of working, history shows, is to equip a chosen company to incarnate His truth, and to be leaven and living epistles for their own times There is a sublime strategy in the divine plan of seeking first a pure church.

Many persons are scanning the day's horizon to discover, if may be, a prophet with a message to Christians - a man who, with fearless tongue and tender heart, will call the church back to the simplicity of her faith and practice A spiritual church, which means, first of all, a pure hurch, a free church, a fearless church, a God-devoted church, is the supreme need of the world today. Set the church right and the ills of society will quickly be remedied. But the bitter truth is that it oftentimes is difficult to distinguish between the church and the world, they are too much alike for the church to have power; she has conformed until she has lost her leverage

Possibly the men and religion campaign, now beginning, will develop the prophet for whom some are praying. A "hard forehead and stiff heart" will confront him, as in Ezekiel's day. Yet, as in China and Korea, where Pasto; Ding Li Mai and Pastor Kil have appeared to their people with the clear word of truth, it may be that the hearts of the people will respond to the heaven-blessed message The watchman upon the walls, about whom we study, was commissioned to blow whether the inhabitants gave heed or not. "Thus saith the Lord" holds good regardless of men's listening. A great measure of disregard for men's opinions is an essential quality in the prophet

Wheels Within Wheels.

How the message came to Ezekiel, and how he delivered it, make hard reading. This is not an easy book Like the apocalypse, it is bewilderingly full of imagery. Some of these figures, of wheels and wings and faces, are difficult to comprehend. They belong to the time of the writing, though the truth they convey is eternal On the Babyloman and Assyrian sculptures winged human figures, and forms half man, half beast, are common The imagery was clearer then than now. For be it remarked that Ezekiel lived and prophesied in Babylonia, on the banks of one of the great irrigation canals. His tomb, a high conical tower, is shown there to the present day.

The antiquity of familiar phrases is illuctrated in his prophecy. Thence comes our familiar saying, "Wheels within wheels." Likewise, from this same source are derived the symbols of the four Evangelists, the eagle, for St. John! the lion for St. Mark; the ox, for St Matthew, and the man, for St. Luke.

Another common allusion to this prophecy in religious phraseology is that of eating the Book. The prophet Ezekiel was prepared for his mission by being instructed to eat the roll of the law - his own life had to be saturated with God's truth before he was qualified to speak God's message. Only the taught can teach. Bible-filled Christians are the ones to instruct the world; otherwise, if they speak from mere human wisdom, they will have to compete with all worldly philosophy.

So some teachers and preachers wonder why they can not hold interest by their dissertations, which are merely poor imitations of the editorials in the daily newspapers. It is the Thus saith the Lord" that gives power Be filled with the word and then your words will fill men's ears. And there is no power that will fortify a man for hard tasks like the Book of God.

"Stand on Thy Feet."

"Son of man, stand on thy feet and I will speak with thee" That was the preparatory word that came to Ezekiel. A man must be a man, an upstanding, fearless man, before ever God will commission him. Jehovah does not make messengers of squirming worms of the dust It is the men who dare to be their best and do their utmost whom he helps to become better and do more. And if ever there is a time when a man should stand with head erect, unflinchingly facing the world, it is when he has received a message from God and is going to deliver it.

Whittier has imaginatively described Ezekiel's sentiments when called to his holy office

"The burden of a prophet's power,
Fell on me in that fearful hour,
From off unutterable woes
The curtain of the future rose,
I saw far down the coming time
The firey chastisement of crime,
With noise of mingling hosts, and jar
Of falling towers and shouts of war.
I saw the nations rise and fall,
Like fire-gleams on my tent's white wall.

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O'er my spirit dark and slow
The shadow crept of Israel's woe
As if the angel's mournful roll
Had left its record on my soul,
And traced in lines of darkness there
The picture of its great despair"

AVIATION MEET OPENS WITH FIRST AERIAL POST OFFICE SERVICE

MR. OVINGTON RECEIVING BAG OF MAIL.

LIEUTENANT MILLING ROUNDING A PYLON.

GENERAL GRANT AND CHINESE ADMIRAL.

An interesting feature of the opening of the big aviation meet on Long Island centred around the flight of the first aeroplane in this country to carry mail. Earle Ovington, the Post Office aviator, dropped his bags from a height of five hundred feet to postal officials at Mineola. Lieutentant Milling, U. S. A., was a starter in the ten mile race which was won by George W. Beatty. Tom Sopwith was second and Lieutenant Milling third.

One of the interested spectators at the meet was Admiral Ching Pih Kwang, of the Chinese cruiser Hai Chi. He is seen in the above photograph standing beside General Frederick D. Grant

PERSONAL PICKINGS OF WEEK AT MORRAL

Many Visitors at Village and in the Vicinity.

Morral, O., Sept. 27. [Special.]—R C Downs, of Martel, transacted business here several days last week

Mr and Mrs H. A. Martin and Miss Jen Eva Ballinger attended the Bucyrus fair Thursday

N. J Osbun and Charles Beck returned, Wednesday, from a business trip to Hastings, Florida.

Vinton McCumber, of Alice, is spending a few weeks at the home of Mr and Mrs. H. S. Giles.

S. B. Creasap attended the funeral of a relative in Mt. Vernon, Saturday.

Samuel Miner and son, Edward, of Espyville, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Miner Sunday.

Rev J. S. Altman preached an excellent sermon, Sunday evening, the last of the conference year. His theme was "The Modern Bible."

Mr and Mrs. C. W Ferguson and children, Ruth and Joan, were Marion visitors. Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Cottrell, of Harpster, were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Cottrell, Saturday night and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Stouffer and son, Clifford, and little Miss Bernice McClain spent Sunday at the home of Mr and Mrs. Frank Click in Marion.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Schultz, daughter, Hazel, and son, Harold, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Orlando Fehl near Marseilles.

S. M. Stoulfer was a Marion visitor, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Martin and children, Hopewell and Lenole, and J. T. Ballinger and daughter, Jen Eva, were guests of Mr and Mrs C. E. Mounts north of Meeker, Sunday

Mr and Mrs. Bruce Irwin attended the funeral of Mrs Irwin's sister in Mt. Gilead, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Heller are the parents of a daughter, born Wednesday

Harry O Ritter returned to Cleveland, Monday morning, to resume his studies at the Case university, after spending his summer vacation with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Ritter.

Mrs Merrit Stimmel, of Columbus, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. H. S. Giles

Miss Hazel Crawbaugh, of Marion, was a guest of Miss Mayme Messenger from Saturday until Monday.

Mrs. C J. Schultz was a Marion visitor Monday.

Mrs. Alton Seiple, of Harpster, was a guest of her sister, Mrs. O. T. Pierman, Wednesday. Mis Bernice Handy and two children, Lewis and Beatrice, of Harpster, were also guests of Mrs Pierman from Friday until Sunday

Mr and Mrs John Stiverson and children returned, Sunday evening, from LaRue, where they were called by the serious illness of Mr. Stiverson's mother

Mrs. Joseph Chorlton and children, John and Fern, who have been guests of Mr and Mrs. George Mahaffey, are visiting relatives at Upper Sandusky and Harpster

Dwight Harrison, of Columbus, spent Saturday and Sunday at the home of Mr and Mrs C F Retter.

Mr. and Mrs David Fenbaugh, of Upper Sandusky, were guests, Sunday afternoon, of Mr and Mrs L. J Dennis and Mr. and Mrs W. W. Morral

Miss Mary Jane Brown left, Monday, for Sweet Briar, West Virginia, to attend college.

William McIntire, of Plain City, is a guest of Mr and Mrs C. W. Ferguson

Mrs Phoebe Baker, of LaRue, spent last week with her daughter, Mrs Silas Smith Mrs Joanna Cluff, Mrs. Mary Cluff, George and Carl Fish, of Marion, and Mrs. J P. Earnthouse, of Upper Sandusky, were guests at the Smith home, Sunday.

Mrs. Ben McCumber, of Ervington, is a guest at the home of Mr and Mrs L. M. McCumber

Ellsworth Oborn and David Manson, of Bucyrus, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. N J. Osbun, Monday evening.

Miss Iona Washburn left Tuesday morning, for Oberlin, where she will resume her studies in the conservatory of music.

Mrs. Silas Smith was a visitor in Marion, Monday.

Misses Adda Norton and Hattie Moore went to Marion, Monday morning, where they have secured employment in the silk mills.

C. G. Hammond, of Silver Creek, New York, was a business visitor here Tuesday.

Mrs. Alice Cherry and son, George, and Miss Alice Moowery, of Orland, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Allen, from Saturday until Monday.

Mrs. J W. Jolley is a guest of relatives in Detroit

Mrs G. W. Mahaffey and little son, Wilbur, are visiting relatives in Upper Sandusky

Mrs H. S Giles and guest, Mrs. Stimmel, were Marion visitors Tuesday.

Mrs. George Baehr and daughter, Evah, of near Wyandot, were visitors at Morral Tuesday.

F. H. Wiley was the guest of Mr. and Mrs Ernest Wiley at Meeker, Tuesday.

Harmon Wilmuth was the guest of his mother near Harpster, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs W. R. Hiestand spent Saturday in Marion.

Mr. and Mrs. S E. Bretz and daughter, Rowena, of Nevada, were guests at the home of Mr and Mrs. C. E. Mount Sunday.

J. H. Ten Eyck returned from Tippecanoe City, Tuesday, where he was called by the death of an uncle.

Charles Baker celebrated his birthday, Saturday. His friends surprised him with a postcard shower.

I. J. PETTY CELEBRATES ANNIVERSARY OF BIRTH

A Delightful Affair at Green Camp Residence.

Green Camp, O., Sept. 26.—[Special.]—A number of the friends of I. J. Petty called at his home, Monday evening, to help him celebrate his birthday. The happy company consisted of Mr. and Mrs. John Onselman and daughter, Clara: Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Falk, Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Porter, Mr. and Mrs. I. N. Davis, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Littrell and daughter, Mrs. Elmer Kaelber, Mrs. Stella Hurd, L. H. Fish, Miss Ella Bradshaw and Miss Spray McWilliams.

Harry Watts is able to be out after a few days' attack of scarletina.

The friends of L. O. DuRoss will be sorry to know he is critically ill of typhoid fever at a hospital at Phoenix, Arizona.

Rev. and Mrs. H. H. Hoyt were entertained at dinner Sunday by Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Topliff at LaRue.

Miss Ella Bradshaw was hostess to the L. C. and R. club at her home last Thursday. The club members present were Mrs. Martha Uncapher, Mrs. James Biggins, Mrs. Minnie Onselman, Mrs. Sarah Brugger, Mrs. Alice Bentz. The guests of the club were Mrs. Linnie Littrell and daughter, Charlottie, and little Edith Brugger and Gladys Uncapher.

Mr. and Mrs. Irl Reasoner, of Marion, and Miss Nora Savidge and Orval Johnston motored to North Robinson, Sunday, where they spent the day with friends.

Dr. and Mrs. J. G. McNamara entertained Frank Murphy, of Marion, at dinner Tuesday.

Last Wednesday, while little Furman Boxwell was playing on a wagon load of coal, which was being unloaded at the school, he fell, severely spraining and tearing the ligaments loose in his right ankle. Dr. McNamara was called to care for the little fellow.

Mr. and Mrs. W. N Porter entertained at dinner, Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. William Terpany, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Smith and sons, Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Porter and daughter. Mrs. John McNeal and Mr. Talmage Porter and Miss Blanche Porter.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Walker and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Williams and family, of Marion, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Fletcher, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Lanius entertained Miss Ida Roseman, of Marion, and Mr. and Mrs. David Schwaderer, of LaRue, and Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Lanius at dinner Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Northup and family and Mr. and Mrs. John Powell and son spent Sunday with Marion friends.

Mrs Howard Huffvine, of Marion, spent Sunday with Mrs. E. O. Welch.

Mrs. Charles Dryer graciously entertained the Missionary society of the Baptist church at her hospitable home at Longville, Thursday. The ladies present to enjoy the pleasant hours were, Mrs. W. N. Porter, Mrs. Arthur Porter, Mrs. J F. Wottring, Mrs Clarence Somerlot, Mrs Jacob McClelland, Mrs. Emma Smith, Mrs. John Uncapher, Miss Nancy Johnson, Mrs Edith Welch, Mrs. L. R. Hopkins, Mrs J B. Berry, Mrs. J. G. McNamara, Mrs. E. J. Porter, Mrs. C. F Utz and daughters, little Marjorie Porter and Opal Somerlot, and Rev and Mrs. H. H. Hoyt. The time was spent in needlework for the society. At noon, the hostess served dinner assisted by Mrs. Hoyt.

Miss Chlora Hedges visited Mrs. Emma Hedges near Richwood Saturday and Sunday.

Mr and Mrs. L. R Hopkins spent Sunday with Mr and Mrs. Huston Manley, near Agosta

Harvey Eaton and Miss Ida Eaton enjoyed Sunday with Miss Effie Onselman

F. N. Welch the Erie agent is unable to be at the office this week on account of sickness

Mr and Mrs. J R Frets and daughters, Ruth and Helen, of Pittsburgh, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs Robert Petty last week.

Mrs Louella Gambrill and Miss Ruth Bricker were guests of Mr and Mrs Scott Foos near Richwood, Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Ruth Porter was a Prospect visitor last Friday.

Most men like to hear themselves talk better that other people do.

BOOTLEGGING CASE IS HEARD BY THE MAYOR

C. E. Burke Charged with Violating Liquor Laws.

THE MAYOR RESERVES DECISION IN MATTER

Other Cases Will Be Heard by the Mayor Next Monday—John Hoctor Pleads Guilty to Charge of Violating Liquor Law and Is Fined. Police Court Notes.

The bootlegging case against C. E. Burke, charged with selling whisky to Ernest R. Harvey and William H Proper, two dry detectives, July 8, at 5 o'clock, was held in the mayor's court Monday. The dry detectives testified that they entered the Burke place at the time and date alleged in the affidavit, and in the company of Kay Seligman, purchased whisky.

Seven witnesses were called by the defendant, the testimony of these being with a view to establishing an alibi. A. G. Hufnagel, Louis Hagamier and C. H. Fitzer, of Bucyrus, each testified that the defendant was in Bucyrus on the date alleged in the affidavit. The testimony of Seligman was to the effect that he did not secure whisky in the Burke place with the detectives. Fred Lutz and George Hogan testified that they were with Burke in Bucyrus on the date alleged and returned to Marion on the last interurban car. Z. F Drake also testified that he saw Burke in Bucyrus after 3 o'clock on the date mentioned.

At the close of the testimony the attorneys for the defendant argued a motion for a dismissal of the case, it being their opinion that an alibi had been clearly established. This motion was overruled by the mayor, and the case was then submitted without further argument. The mayor reserved his decision until a later date.

The other bootlegging cases against C E. Burke and William Burke, which were to be taken up Tuesday, were continued to next Monday on repuest of the attorneys for the defendant.

John Hoctor, who was arrested several weeks ago on a charge of bootlegging brought against him by Ernest R. Harvey and William H. Proper, managed to escape with a fine of $75 by pleading guilty to the charge. The detectives claimed to have several charges against Hoctor, but promised not to file them, providing Hoctor quit the business he was engaged in.

The local police department received a communication from Owens, Monday, asking the officers to be on the lookout for a colored man about thirty years of age. The fellow dressed up in a suit of clothes, hat and shoes belonging to another quarryman, and skipped out. A description of the stolen wearing apparel and of the negro was given the officers, but he was not apprehended.

The suitcase belonging to Helmar Hyderston, the Norwegian, who jumped through a car window here, August 14, was found Monday by Ray Merchant. It will be remembered that the Norwegian started to walk east with his grip, and was arrested and brought back here on complaint that his mind was unbalanced. He claimed to have set the grip down, but a search for it was fruitless. As a result of the long period it has been exposed to the weather, the suitcase and its few contents are of practically no value The property was turned over to Chief Klinefelter.

UNCLAIMED MAIL.

The following unclaimed mail remains undelivered at this office:

Women—Violet Brown, Anna Blackstock, Mrs. B Boger, Mrs. M E. Belcher, Mrs. Hattie Clark, Rose Dutton, Emma Hambly, Mrs. Spencer Jefferies, Anna O'Neal, Glayd Porter, Mrs. Joseph Pickard, Mrs W. L. Rouse, Mrs. J. D. Seiter, Kate Robenson.

Men—James Burke, Charles Bush, H. J. Byers, William Byers, John Ball, Charles Ball, J. F Bashford, Dr. M. Bowman, Elmer Davis, Robert Field, F. M. Fortner, William Graw, Frank Gemer, Jacob Howser, Edward A. Haybell, Harry F. Heazel, P. E. Herber, Robert I Hill, Reed Hughes, Hermann Hey, E. W. Jacobs, J. R. Johnson, Frank Knapp, W. F. Leitner, Frank Lewis, Henry Miller, J. F. McKelson, W F. Meyers, West Montgomery, S M Moffett, William Richardson, W L Rouse, Charles Russell, Okey A Snyder, James M. Sloan, Simon Tennant, W. J. Vine, Elmer D. Waite, Edward Wheeler, G. L. Wilson

Firms—The Peerless Supply company, Marion Wheel company, Secretary Real Estate Exchange, 310 Kent street

Foreign—Momello Carmelo di Carmelo Bagonen Gaetano, Lukazet Strack, Mose Tella Pia, Disanto Antonio, Luizi Pape.

Notice—When calling, say that mail was advertised.

M. B. Dickerson, P M

The Mt. Gilead Fair.

The big Morrow county fair will be held next week, October 3-6. This is one of the big fairs of Ohio For speed programs and exhibit information, write the secretary, O. J. Miller, Mt. Gilead.

The best rubber gloves for the use of electricians are tested to resist a current of 10,000 volts.

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HITCHCOCK IS A REAL MAIL MAN

Delivers Pouch by Aeroplane in New York.

SAYS AIR ROUTES ARE ALL RIGHT

But the Machines Must Be More Perfect.

Hitchcock Thinks Air Vehicles Open to Improvement Before They Come into General Use as Letter Carriers, but Sees Where They Could Be Used to Advantage in Hopping Rivers in Rough Country.

New York, Sept. 27.—Postmaster General Hitchcock was the stellar attraction at the Nassau boulevard aviation meet when he flew with Captain Beck to Mineola, L. I., and delivered a mail pouch to the postmaster at that village.

Lieutenant Milling, flying a Burgess-Wright biplane and carrying two private soldiers of Company L, Twenty-ninth infantry, as passengers, stayed in the air 1 hour, 54 minutes and 42 3-5 seconds continuously, thereby breaking the world's record for carrying two passengers plus a pilot by 16 minutes 2 3-5 seconds.

The Hon. Frank H. Hitchcock, postmaster general of the whole United States," the megaphone man began to yell, "will now fly to Mineola with Captain Beck to deliver the mail. Postmaster General Hitchcock will carry the mailbag on his knees and drop the bag at Mineola into a circle in which will be the postmaster of Mineola. Ladies and gentlemen, Postmaster General Hitchcock." (Much applause.)

Mr Hitchcock was not around to hear all this, and so didn't lift his gray cap in acknowledgment. He was far out in the field with Attorney General Wickersham and Captain Beck. At the very last moment Mrs. Timothy Woodruff came along with 75 letters and cards which she had held back until then so that this mail could be carried by Mr. Hitchcock, and put in a second bag of mail to be delivered in a monoplane by Ovington. Mrs Woodruff's package of mail was placed in a pouch and Captain Beck and the postmaster general hiked off in a northerly direction for the high spots.

Ovington Also Carries Mail.

The Curtiss circled three-quarters of the field and then climbed rapidly until it was 300 or 400 feet above the south end of the track. Ovington, who had also got under way with a second bag of mail in his No. 13 Queen monoplane, shot up into the same acre of sky occupied by Captain Beck and Mr. Hitchcock and shot eastward as a trackfinder for Captain Beck's biplane. The army man's machine was trailing smoke behind it, but not a cop tried to make an arrest.

The field could see the two machines almost all the time during the cross-country flight. The way the biplane with a passenger pegged along just behind the monoplane with only a pilot aboard was a caution. Over a big white circle painted on the Mineola real estate Ovington from his monoplane and the postmaster general from Captain Beck's machine plumped down to Mineola the two pouches, and hit within the circle in each case.

"Yes air routes are all right for practical mail carrying," said Mr. Hitchcock. "I mean," he smiled, "the air is all right, but the vehicles must continue toward perfection. But even with the aeroplane as it is now it would be very useful to us, particularly in some parts of the country. Take along the Colorado river in the Canon district of Yuma, for instance, or in parts of Alaska. Along the Colorado there are places where detours of 50 miles out of the way are made in mail routes to get to a bridge. An aeroplane could hop right across the river."

GIVES UP WIFE AS DEATH NEARS

Tuberculosis Victim Would Relieve Her of Burden.

Cleveland, Sept. 27.—Hopelessly ill from consumption, Nicolas Matye a young German here, has not expressed a desire similar to that of the Shakeress of Kissimmee, Florida, and 'pass out of the body," but in order that his wife may not have to bear the burden of his misfortune, he has filed suit for divorce.

I am no longer able to work," young Matye said. "I do not feel that it is right to load her down with the care of an incurably sick man. I was taken with tuberculosis six months ago and the best I can do now is to set her free."

Matye has rented a small room where he will probably die. His wife is heartbroken over the action taken, but gets some consolation from the fact that they agreed to be remarried if he should recover from the disease.

The Matyes were married just a year ago. Mrs. Matye is but eighteen and is now living with a friend.

He says he is doing it for my own good," she said. "He will have it no other way. I made him say that I could come back again if he gets well, but I had to agree to let him get a divorce.

And some people do not look as foolish as they are.

REFORMED CHURCH WOMEN ENTERTAINED

Mrs. Clara Strine Is Hostess to Company.

Waldo, O., Sept. 28.—[Special.]—The ladies of the Reformed church were entertained, Wednesday afternoon, at the home of Mrs. Clara Strine.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. John Himlech Tuesday morning.

Mrs. Daniel Selanders was a Marion visitor Tuesday.

Mrs. O. G. Celler and children left, Wednesday, for their home in Wilmington, after a couple of weeks' visit with D. W. Benedict and family.

Miss Vinnie Selanders visited in Marion from Wednesday until Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Augenstine, Mrs. William Wheeler and daughter, Mary Katherine, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Taylor attended the conference sessions in Marion Sunday.

Rev. George Parkin has been returned to Waldo circuit to the great satisfaction of his charge here.

Mr. and Mrs. John Smith are spending a ten-day vacation at Russell's point and other places on the Lewistown reservoir.

Frank Groll was so unfortunate recently as to have a valuable driving horse kicked by another horse, wounding the horse so it had to be shot.

Mr. and Mrs. James Washburn and children, of Marion, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Anthony and other friends over Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Selanders, Earl Miller and C. E. Morris were Columbus visitors Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Scott Howison were Marion visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. S. Anthony spent Saturday at Marion.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Katz, of Marion, were Waldo visitors Saturday.

Waldo and Cardington nines played a game on the Waldo grounds, Sunday, which resulted in a victory for the home team.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Klingle and children were Cardington visitors Sunday.

Miss Gladys Bailey, of Marion, was the guest of Miss Dessa Marie Benedict Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Barber and Mr and Mrs. Thomas Barber, of Ashley, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Hayes Sunday.

A meeting was held, Monday evening, to organize the Citizen's Lecture course for the coming season. S. S. Simpson, Miss Vivian Dellaven, Miss Walker, teachers, and Miss Bertha Augenstine, Mrs. William Groll and Mrs. D. W. Benedict were elected a committee to select talent.

Dr. and Mrs. B. D. Osborne entertained at dinner, Sunday, in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Osborne, of Sawtelle, California. The other guests were James Osborne, James Osborne, Jr., and children, Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Jones and son, Miss Louise Spicer, of Prospect, and Mrs. Eliza Straub.

Mr and Mrs. A. B. Jones, of Delaware, were guests, Monday and Tuesday, of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Groll.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ebert and Mrs. John High went to Columbus, Monday. Mrs. Ebert will be a patient for some time in Mt. Carmel hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Apt were Delaware visitors Tuesday.

Pure Bred Livestock.

The Ohio department of agriculture is preparing a roster of Ohio owners of pure bred and registered live stock. This roster when published will contain the names, classified by counties, of all owners of pure bred animals, giving name of breed, number of animals and post-office address of owner. All owners of such animals are requested to send above information to the secretary of the state board of agriculture, Columbus. No charge will be made for this publication.

McCoskey Is Fined.

On a charge of flourishing a loaded weapon at the fairground, Tuesday afternoon, Joe McCoskey was arrested by Roy Chapman, marshal of the grounds, and brought before Justice Charles E. Gompf, Wednesday. McCoskey pleaded guilty and was assessed a fine of one dollar and the costs in the case, which he paid. His weapon was confiscated and he was released.

LOUIS GEYER VICTIM OF SERIOUS ACCIDENT

Falls from a Tree While Engaged in Coon Hunting.

BACK AND ABDOMEN SEVERELY INJURED

Margaret Ellen Harrington Falls Down Cellar Steps and Has Back of Her Head Injured—Notes of Some Interest Gathered at Caledonia During the Past Week.

Caledonia, O., Sept. 27.—[Special.]—Louis Geyer received serious injuries to his back while coon hunting with a party of friends, Friday night. The men were hunting on the W. Kimble farm northeast of town. Mr. Geyer climbed a tall tree and when about thirty feet from the ground, he lost his footing and fell. His back and abdomen are badly sprained and bruised.

Margaret Ellen, the two-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Harrington, fell down the cellar at their home on north Main street, Monday, and had the back of her head badly cut. Dr. J. B. Kring was summoned and it required several stitches to close the wound.

Harry Vogelmeier, of Newark, is spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. Marie Hart.

Harley Cardiff left, Tuesday morning, for Medina, where he will be employed for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Beck and son, Wallace, of Galion, spent Saturday and Sunday with friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. P. F. Foreman and Messrs. Charles and Harrison Foreman were the guests of relatives here Friday.

Mrs. Otto Schlientz and little daughter, of Akron, are spending the week with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Thew.

Mrs. Nancy Walter has returned to Marion, after an extended visit with relatives here.

Mrs. Mary Moon and granddaughter, Dora Moon, spent Saturday and Sunday with relatives in Marion.

The Aid society of the M. E. church went with Mrs. Ada Geddis, last Thursday afternoon. The devotional exercises were led by Mrs. C. A. Edgington. The ladies hemmed tablecloths for the church dining-room during the afternoon. At the close of the work, the hostess served refreshments. The guests were Mrs. F. S. Geddis, Mrs. R. B. Bell, Mrs. G. D. Marggraf, Mrs L. S Irey and Miss Ethel Bolinger.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hostetler, of Galion, spent Saturday and Sunday with the latter's parent's, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Seckel.

Mrs Mary Hurley arrived, Saturday, from Piqua, and will spend the winter with her daughter, Mrs. Maris Hart.

Rev. J. W. Yeisley, of Toledo, was the guest of Rev and Mrs. C. A. R. Edgington, from Saturday until Tuesday.

O. M. Mills and sister, Miss Dae Mills, spent Saturday and Sunday with friends at Edison.

Mrs. T. A. Gruber and daughter, Mary Elizabeth, returned Saturday evening from a visit with the former's brother, Jay Coulter, and family in Marion.

Charles Harrison and family, S. E. Irey and family and Mrs. G. D. Marggraf spent Sunday in Galion.

Mrs. John Rucker and little daughter, of Portland, Oregon, arrived here Saturday for a visit with relatives.

Miss Helen Pommert, returned, Monday, from an extended visit relatives in Cleveland.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Ward and daughter, of Columbus, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Ward, west of town.

Joseph May and family moved from the Vanatta property to the Silas Hipsher house on south Water street.

Mrs. James Parshall, of Skidmore, Missouri, and Mrs. George Baker, of Fairfield, Iowa, were the guests of their cousin, Mrs. C. A. Highly, Tuesday.

Occasionally we meet a woman of few words but she is nearly always afflicted with the reiteration habit.

VICE PRESIDENT KNOWS BASEBALL EVEN AS YOU AND I.

VICE-PRESIDENT SHERMAN AT THE BALL GAME.

Vice President Sherman, "Sunny Jim," as he is affectionately called, is a baseball "fan" of the most rabid kind. While he does not yell his enthusiasm like the noisy ones, there is no doubt he would like to do so just the same But what the Vice President lacks in noise he makes up in gestures and facial expressions, and any one who watched him the other day—in New York at a game between the Yankees and the Clevelands could easily tell when it was time to "root."

CANTON GREETS THE AVIATORS

Brookins Makes New Record for Stopping.

THE OHIO CANAL IS BADLY DAMAGED

Recent Cloudburst Responsible for Condition.

Warden Jones Requests Resignation of Captain of Night Guards Shipley—Convict Leaps from a Train Near Urbana—The Bricelon and Worstville Depots Are Burglarized. Steubenville Man Hit by Car.

Canton, O., Sept. 27. — Walter Brookins made a new record for stopping at aviation field. He made a spiral ascent of 1,000 feet and brought his machine down on the square marked by judges. Harry N. Atwood in a Burgess-Wright landed 40 feet from the mark. Exhibition flights were made by Brookins, Atwood and Jesse Seligman in monoplanes. Brookins made two ascensions, carrying one passenger each time. Atwood also made one flight carrying a passenger.

Ohio Canal Damaged.

Columbus, O., Sept. 27. — The recent cloudburst in the Tuscarawas valley was disastrous in its effect upon the Ohio canal at points between Coshocton and Canal Fulton. An investigation by Chief Engineer J. I. Miller of the board of public works snows that it will take nearly $25,000 to repair the damage caused to the canal between these places as a result of washouts and breaks caused by the floods. Three large culverts were washed out and completely destroyed.

Oil King Unfurls Flag.

Cleveland, O., Sept. 27 — John D. Rockefeller celebrated the fifty-sixth anniversary of his obtaining a situation—the first and only one he ever had in another man's employ—and from which he rose to his high position in the world of commerce and finance. The celebration was marked by the displaying of the stars and stripes at Forest Hill.

Refuses to Be Oslerized.

Columbus, O., Sept. 27.- Solomon P. Shipley of Palaska, Vinton county, captain of the night guards at the pen, has been asked by Warden Jones to resign his position because of his age. Captain Shipley, who is 67, said that he is not too old to do his work properly, and that he would not resign. Warden Jones refused to discuss the matter.

Convict Leaps From Train.

Urbana, O., Sept. 27.—John J. McPherson, an insane convict, transferred from the United States prison at Leavenworth, Kan., to the government insane asylum at Washington, escaped from the guards by jumping through a car window of a Pennsylvania train here. He was captured in Logan county.

Depots Are Burglarized

Paulding, O., Sept. 27.—The Nickel Plate depots at Briceton and Worstville, this county, were broken into by burglars. Money amounting to $92, overcoats and tickets were taken.

Hit by Car; Instantly Killed.

Steubenville, O., Sept. 27.- William Koegler, a glass worker, aged 25, son of Service Director Andrew Koegler, was struck by a traction car north of this city and instantly killed.

Attempts to End Her Life.

Forest, O., Sept. 27. - Hazel, 17-year-old daughter of Thomas Kidd of this place, swallowed carbolic acid with suicidal intent. No cause for the deed is known.

Admits Voting Illegally.

Sidney, O., Sept. 27.—Additional arrests for alleged illegal voting in last Thursday's Beal law election were made. Confession was made by Henry Williams, who implicated several men connected with the wet forces, whom he charged with inducing him to vote. It is said that if 20 alleged illegal voters are found guilty the results of the election will be reversed and a dry victory shown. So far no dry voter has been arrested for illegality.

AN AGED RESIDENT DIES WEDNESDAY

Mrs. Margaret Scoville Passes Away at Byers Home.

Mrs. Margaret Scoville, aged eighty-seven years and ten months, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. William E. Byers, of No. 343 Senate street, Wednesday, at 10:15 o'clock. She had been ill a number of years.

Aside from Mrs. Byers the deceased is survived by a son, George Scoville. Mrs. Scoville had been a resident of this county for many years.

W. R. M'ILVAINE CLAIMED BY DEATH

Message Announcing Death Is Received Here.

Word was received, Wednesday, announcing the death of W. R. McIlvaine, which occurred at his home in Clearfield, Pennsylvania, Tuesday evening. The deceased was twenty-eight years of age and was quite well known in this city. Death was due to tumors and dropsy. He is survived by a widow who was formerly Miss Elsie Finch, of this city, his mother and one brother.

REAL ESTATE.

John H. Bain to William T. Jones, one lot in Marion, $300.

William B. Davids to Ellen Maloney, one lot in Marion, $2,400.

David W. Evans to the Christian church, one lot in Marion, $9,500.

Charles Frank to Edward Burbaugh, seventy-five acres in Bowling Green township, $7,100.

A. H. Kling to Casto & Henderson, one lot in Marion, $2,000.

Adam G. Lauer to Pearl F Augenstine, 82 ½ acres in Bowling Green township, $4,950.

Adam G. Lauer to Catherine M Brewer, eighty-three acres in Bowling Green township, $4,980.

J. W. Longberry to Jared P. Shuster, four lots in LaRue, $175.

Morris Harriet to William P. Murphy, one lot in Prospect, $150.

Johnson Mooney to Joseph Slanser, one lot in Marion, $800.

Edward S. Moon to F. W. Camp, three lots in Marion, $4,800.

George Primm to Margaret Primm, one lot in Marion, $1,500.

John Reidel and others to C. L. V. Casto and others, two lots in Marion, one dollar.

Philip Shrock to John W. Shrock, one acre and two rods in Marion, $300.

Harrison C. Shaffstall to Wheat Bell, one lot in Marion, $1,000.

C. L. V. Casto to John Reidel, twenty-eight acres in Montgomery township, one dollar.

Zora C Clixby to Riley L. Davis, 17.65 acres in Montgomery township, one dollar.

Harry Coon and others, by guardian, to J. F. Wottring, two lots in Green Camp, $700.

David S. Croft to J. W. Jacoby, one lot in Marion, $2,850.

REDUCING PRICES IN INDIANAPOLIS

Mayor Puts One Over on Commission Men of City.

Indianapolis, Sept. 27.—The campaign being waged in Indianapolis for lower retail prices for food products scored its first victory today. Through the efforts of Mayor Shank, who is leading the movement, potatoes will be on sale at the city market Saturday at the producer's price, plus the actual cost of transportation and handling.

Word was received from the mayor's personal representative sent to Michagan to investigate the potato situation, that he had been able to buy a large supply of potatoes for sixty-nine cents a bushel, placed in the car. They are expected to arrive here Saturday and will be taken to the city market and sold by the city in an effort to force the commission men to lower their prices. Potatoes are now retailing from one dollar to $1.40 here.

If the campaign for cheap potatoes is supported by the city's consumers, Mayor Shank plans to secure a supply of apples which will be sold under the same plan—at the producer's price, plus transportation and handling cost.

GYPSIES SWAP DOG FOR CLEVELAND MAN

Three Dollars to "Boot" Are Given to Forest City Character.

Cleveland, Sept. 27.—There's a Cleveland man wandering somewhere with a band of Gypsies, who figured in a novel trade by being "swapped" for three dollars and a dog. According to the story told by Ed Kelly, a saloon-keeper here, Tuesday, he had a man, 'Paddy' who did chores about his place for his meals and a place to sleep. He was generally regarded as "no good," but did not bother any one.

Then a band of Gypsies happened along and with them a dog to which Kelly took a fancy. The Gypsies needed a man to help them care for horses and, when Kelly could not buy the dog, he suggested a trade, after "Paddy" had signified his willingness to go with the Gypsies. The Gypsies handed over the dog and three dollars and took "Paddy."

THE MARKETS.

UNION STOCK YARDS.

Union Stock Yards, Sept. 27.—Hogs—Receipts, 28,000; market, weak; mixed and butchers, 6.15@6.80, good heavy, 6@6.70, rough heavy, 6@6.25; light, 6.10@6.75; pigs, 3.60@6.10.

Cattle — Receipts, 14,500; market, steady; beeves, 4.70@8; cows and heifers, 2@6.20, stockers and feeders, 3@5.60; Texans, 4.30@6.10; calves, 6@9.75.

Sheep—Receipts, 40,000; market, weak; native, 2.50@4.15; western, 2.75@4.30; lambs, native, 4@6; western, 4.50@6.15.

EAST BUFFALO.

East Buffalo, N. Y., Sept. 27.—Cattle—Receipts, 125 head; market, dull and steady; prime steers, 7.25@7.10; butcher grades, 5@6.75.

Calves — Receipts, 50 head; market, active and 25c higher; cull to choice, 5@10.25.

Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 2,000; market active; choice lambs, 6.50@6.60, cull to fair, 4.50@6.25, yearlings, 4.50@5; sheep, 2@4.25.

Hogs—Receipts, 11,500, market, slow, 5c lower, yorkers, 7@7.15, pigs, 5.85@6; mixed, 7.10@7.15, heavy, 7@7.15; roughs, 5.50@6, stags, 3@5.50.

CLEVELAND.

Cleveland, Sept. 27. — Hogs—2,000; 10c lower, yorkers and mixed, 6.75@6.90; heavies 6.65; pigs 5.75.

Cattle—6 cars; weak.

Sheep and lambs—10 cars; 6.25 top.

Calves 200; 9.50 top.

ST. LOUIS WOOL.

St Louis, Sept. 26. — Wool steady; medium grades, combing and clothing, 17@20½c, light fine 17@19c; heavy fine 11@16c, tub washed 31@36.

PITTSBURGH.

Pittsburgh Sept. 27.—Cattle—Receipts, light; market, steady; choice, 7.25@7.50; prime, 6.25@6.50, common, 4.50@5.50; veal calves, 8.50@9.

Sheep and lambs—Receipts, fair; market, steady; prime wethers, 4@4.15; good mixed, 3.50@3.75; fair mixed, 3@3.40; lambs, 2@4.50, spring lambs, 5.50@6.25.

Hogs—Receipts, 15 doubledecks; market, slower; prime heavy hogs, 6.80@6.85; mediums 6.75@7, heavy yorkers 6.95@7; light yorkers 6.25@6.75; pigs 5@6; roughs 5.50@6; stags 3@5.50.

TOLEDO.

Toledo O., Sept 27.—Wheat—Cash and September 97½; December 99⅝; May 1.05¾.

Corn—Cash and September 71; December 64⅝; May 66⅝.

Oats—Cash and September 48; December 19¾, May 52¼.

Rye—Cash 95.

Cloverseed—Cash, October, December and March 12.50. No 2, 12.00; No. 3, 11.80, rejected 11.35.

Alsike — Prime 10.90; December 11.00; March 11.15.

Timothy — Prime and September 7.35; December and March 7.15.

Buttera, eggs and hay, unchanged.

CHICAGO.

Chicago Sept. 27. — Grain opening: Wheat—September and December down ¼. Corn—September unchanged; December down ¼. Oats—September down ¼; December down ⅛. Provisions weak.

Noon—Wheat—September down ¼; December unchanged. Corn—September down ¼; December unchanged. Oats—September up ⅛; December unchanged. Close—Wheat—September and December down ¾. Corn—September down ½, December down ¼. Oats—September down ¼; December unchanged. Provisions weak.

The following quotations show the opening, high, low and closing markets in the order named of the various products.

Wheat—September, 94⅞, 94⅞, 94, 94; December, 98½, 98½, 97½, 97⅝.

Corn—September, 68⅜, 68⅞, 68⅛, 68¼; December, 63⅜, 64⅛, 63½, 63½.

Oats—September, 45½, 46, 45⅜, 45⅝; December, 47⅝, 47⅞, 47½, 47⅝.

Pork—January, 14.90, 14.90, 14.80, 14.80; May, 14.77, nominal, closed 14.77.

Lard—January, 9.20, 9.20, 9.07, 9.07; May, 8.77, 8.80, 8.70, 9.72.

Ribs—January, 8.22, nominal, closed 8.22; May, 7.80, 7.82, 7.72, 7.75.

CHICAGO DAIRY.

Chicago, Sept. 27.— Butter —Extras, 26½; firsts, 23½, dairy extras, 24; firsts, 21.

Eggs—Prime firsts, 20½; firsts, 19.

Cheese — Twins, 13½@13¾; Young Americas, 14@14¼.

Live poultry—Fowls, 10@11½; ducks, 13@13½, geese, 11@12; spring chickens, 12½@13.

NEW YORK PRODUCE.

New York, Sept. 27.—Flour—Dull and unsettled.

Pork—Quiet mess, 16.75@17.

Lard—Dull, Middle West spot, 9.10@9.50.

Tallow—Easy, city 6¾; country, 6¼@7.

Hay—Steady, prime, 1.25; No. 3, 95@1.05; clover, 90@1.10.

Dressed poultry—Quiet, turkeys, 12@28; chickens, 12½@23, fowls, 10@17; ducks, 16½@17½.

Live poultry—Dull, geese, 12; ducks, 14; fowls, 13@15; turkeys, 15; roosters, 10, spring chickens, 14@15.

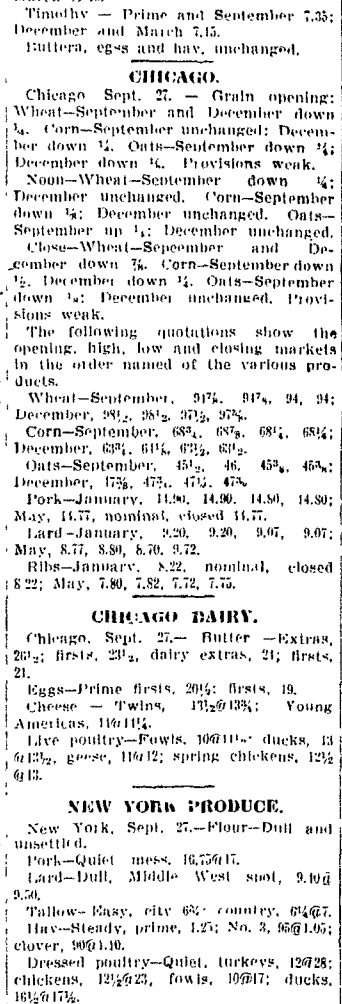
Butter—Receipts, 8,853, creamery extra, 27@27½; state dairy tubs, 26½@26½; imitation creamery firsts, nominal.

Eggs—Steady, receipts, 12,395; nearby white fancy, 29@25, nearby mixed fancy, 24@26, fresh firsts, 20@28.

YOUNG KING ALFONSO'S MONARCHY IS THREATENED

SEÑOR CANALEJAS.

As a result of the serious riots in Spain, Señor José Canalejas, the Premier, has proclaimed martial law in the larger cities. A plot to assassinate General Weyler, Captain General of Catalonia, has been unearthed, and from London comes the news that it is the general opinion there that King Alfonso's government will soon fall. The last time martial law was declared in Spain was in the summer of 1909, when the efforts of the government to put down the revolutionary outbreak culminated in the trial and death of Francisco Ferrer at Barcelona. The trouble, which began at Barcelona, was caused by popular opposition to the Spanish campaign against the Riff tribesmen in Morocco.



KING ALFONSO OF SPAIN

SAILOR TELLS OF EXPLOSION

Imprisoned in Hull of French Warship.

DIGS WAY THROUGH SMOKE TO SAFETY

Leaps into Sea, Then Returns to Vessel.

While Swimming Away, Purser Hears Fire Bugle Call and Goes Back to Ship, Taking Charge of His Division of Fire Fighters. Explosion Follows and He Is Badly Hurt—Cause Still Unknown.

Paris, Sept. 27.—That the explosion which wrecked the warship Liberte was caused by a fire originating in the paint and oil shop and spreading to the powder magazines before the crew could get the flooding apparatus into working order, is the latest version of the disaster in Toulon harbor. The inquest, now in progress, is trying to establish whether fire caused the explosion or spontaneous deflagration of "B" powder caused the fire which spread.

The sailor who was discovered alive in the turret has been taken out. He said that he had been imprisoned with 10 dead. Five others were rescued. The imprisoned men were helpless with fear and in the darkness were stunned and fainting from the poisonous fumes that hovered about the wreck of the Liberte. When the rescuers reached them they could neither stand nor see and could do little but moan. One said to a doctor at the hospital later that the world had fallen in on them.

Purser Tells Story.

A story told by Cavaro De Kerforre, who was the purser of the Liberte, confirms the theory of deflagration. He was asleep in his cabin and was awakened by a rumbling sound 20 minutes before the final explosion. He dressed hurriedly and left his cabin. The passageway was thick with smoke characteristic of "B" powder, and thinking that the ship had been abandoned he returned to his cabin and jumped overboard, through a port hole as the smoke was too thick for him to go through the passageway. As he was swimming away he heard the fire bugle call and swam back to the vessel, taking charge of his division of the fire-fighters, until the final explosion threw him overboard. He received a wound in the head and when this was dressed ashore he returned to the wreck of the Liberte to help save the wounded.

The Patrie prints extracts from all telegrams regarding the Liberte disaster, and comments tending to prove that the disaster was due to incendiarism on the part of the revolutionary anti-militarists, who recently threatened the minister of marine at Brest upon the occasion of the launching of the battleship Jean Bart.

The paper says that the fire started in the coal bunkers in four places at the same time, and that as fast as the fires were extinguished they were started in other places. The coal bunkers were open to all of the crew, whereas the magazines were closely guarded.

THE JUNCTION CITY MINE IS BURNING

Two Men Are Crushed Under a Fall of Slate.

Centralia, Ills., Sept. 27.—The Junction City mine is burning and a large force of men is fighting the flames. Henry Tillman and James Gallagher were crushed under a fall of slate and Charley Myers was overcome by the heat and gas.

They were rescued with the greatest difficulty.

FOR SALE—Over 200 farms and Marion city properties; anything you want from a small truck farm to a magnificent stock farm and city properties of every description from an humble cottage to a stately mansion. Philip Bauer, real estate, Marion, O.
255-10-wk-12-2

Sheriff's Sale of Real Estate Case No. 13020

William J. Weir, Plaintiff, vs. Maggie Beers, et al., Defendant.

Court of Common Pleas of Marion County, Ohio:

In pursuance of an Order of Sale from said court to me directed I will expose to sale, at public auction, at the door of the Court House in Marion, Marion County, Ohio, on Saturday the 28th day of October A. D. 1911, at 2 o'clock, p. m., the following described real estate, situate in the County of Marion and State of Ohio, to-wit:

The south half of the southeast quarter of Section 22, Township 4, South of base line of Range 18 East.

Also, known as fifty (50) acres of the Isaac Ludwig Farm, bounded as follows: Beginning at a stone one hundred and thirteen and 92-100 (113.92) rods west of southeast corner of Section 22, Township 4, South Range 18 East, in center of road; thence north one hundred and sixty and 12-100 (160.12) rods to a stone, center line of said Section 22; thence west forty-nine and 92-100 (49.92) rods to a stone; thence south (160.12) one hundred and sixty and 12-100 rods to a stone in center of road; thence East forty-nine and 92-100 (49.92) rods and along the center of the road, to the place of beginning, containing fifty (50) acres.

First Tract of Land appraised at $10,000.00.

Second Tract of Land appraised at $1,000.00.

Terms of Sale: To be one-third cash on day of sale, one-third in one year and one-third in two years from day of sale.

JOHN G. STARK,
Sheriff Marion County, O.
By C. Breen, Deputy.
Crissinger & Guthery, Attorneys.
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KLEINMAIERS

VALENTINE ANDES IS VICTIM OF ACCIDENT

Is Knocked from Wheel by an Automobile.

Valentine Andes, of Wallace street, enroute from his home to his work at Clary's blacksmith shop, Tuesday noon, had his right side and his right hand injured and his back bruised by being struck by an automobile driven by Frank Knapp

The stories of the men differ as to the accident. Both men were traveling south on State street near George street when they collided. Andes, who was in front, claims that he was on the right side and was almost to the curb when Knapp's machine struck him and threw him from his wheel. Knapp claims that Andes was in the middle of the street next to the street car track, and that when he tooted his horn the man turned his wheel in the direction of the car, striking the car in the side.

Andes went to the office of Dr. J. M. Hoskins where his injuries were dressed. He was not badly injured

MRS. SARAH C. BAILEY DIES TUESDAY EVENING

Death Comes After an Illness of Ten Days.

Mrs. Sarah C Bailey died at the home of her daughter, Mrs P. J Bristley, of No. 276 Edwards street, Tuesday evening at 6.40 o'clock, of a complication of diseases She had been ill ten days

Mrs. Bailey was born in Crawford county, July 27, 1833, and came to this county in 1875. She was twice married, both husbands being deceased. Her first husband was Dr. McCune, and her second husband, Robert Bailey.

The deceased is survived by three children, Mrs. Bristley, at whose home she died; Miss Jemima McCune, of this city, and J. C. McCune, of Peoria, Illinois. She had been affiliated with the Methodist church since nine years of age, and had been a member of the Wesley M. E. church for the past three years.

ADJOURNED MEETING OF THE CITY COUNCIL

Appropriation Ordinance Is Given Attention.

ALL MEMBERS OF THE BOARD IN ATTENDANCE

Provisions Made To Meet the Expenses of the City During the Coming Six Months—The Amounts Which Are Appropriated for the Various Funds.

An adjourned meeting of the city council was held, Tuesday evening, with all the members present, the object of the session being to take action on the appropriation ordinance, which was not ready for the regular session Monday night.

The appropriation ordinance, to provide for the running expenses of the city for the six months ending December 31, 1911, was adopted The figures total $35,072.50, this being all the money at the command of the council. This grand total of all expenditures for the present six months is much less than was appropriated for the corresponding six months of last year, or the previous six months. To keep within the amount available, required some tall figuring by the members of the finance committee and big retrenchments had to be made in various departments. It will be observed that only $122 is appropriated for street cleaning and street-repair work, which is an indication that Marion will be none too clean for a time.

The sum appropriated by council for the ensuing six months for purposes and departments are as follows:

The Appropriations.

From the general fund, salary of council, $600; clerk hire, $180; serving notices, $50; salary of mayor, $600; incidentals for mayor, $65; salary of auditor, $525; incidentals for auditor, $100; treasurer's salary, $325; incidentals, $20; solicitor's salary, $600; special counsel, law library and incidentals, $90; elections, $1,723; legal advertising, $440; extraordinary purposes, ordinances and resolutions, $600; board of control, clerk hire, $180; civil service commission for advertising, $10; humane officer, for salary, $180.

From the public safety fund, for salary of safety director, $200; incidentals, $100; fire and police telegraph and telephone, $20; police salaries regular officers, $2,750; special officers and incidentals, $370 fire department, salaries regular firemen, $4,500; special firemen, harness, equipment and incidentals, $955.

From the public service fund, for salary of director, $250; furniture, incidentals and miscellaneous, $398.50; engineer and assistant, $835; street repairing and incidentals, $62; street cleaning, $60; street lighting, $9,154; disposal plant, salary of superintendent and incidentals, $680; sewers, ditches and drains, $125; waterworks, private corporation for hydrant rental and other purposess, $6,555; public parks, salary of superintendent and other purposes, $318; public buildings and lands, rental and other purposes, $906; miscellaneous public ways, $30; public markets, for salary superintendent, fuel and light $185.

For Public Health.

From the public health fund, there is appropriated $180 for officer's salary and $150 for clerk hire and incidentals.

A recapitulation of the fund shows the sum of $6,288 at the service of the council; $8,895 at the service of the department of public safety; $19,559.50 at the service of the department of public service and $330 at the service of the board of health, making a grand total of $35,072.50.

A resolution to transfer $5,600 from the general fund to the public service fund was read three times and adopted. This amount was the balance in this fund at the end of the first six months of the year, and is included in the amount available for the use of the city for the last six months. The ordinance to issue a certificate of indebtedness for $1,000, which was read three times at the meeting, Monday evening, was taken up and lost by a unanimous vote, the members feeling that the money was not necessary.

It doesn't cost very much to please a woman, but keeping her pleased is what causes many a man to go broke.

George Plottner, of Pythian, Indiana, is the guest of E. J. Stanley and E. E. Drown.

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Store News for Fair Week.

A New Dress

During Fair week many new models of serge and silk-poplin dresses are shown. There are just one or two of a style, so the complete assortment will soon be broken. You can buy a new dress at about what it would cost to make it. The prices are only $10.00, $12.50 to $16.50.

Velvets and Velveteen

We cannot emphasize too strongly the great popularity of pile fabrics Our velvets and velveteens have all a beautiful silk finish and are less likely to crush in the wearing. We have them in all widths, in shades of brown, green, Burgundy, navy and black. 50c to $1.50 a yard.

About 'Printzess' Coats

Today we opened up some special new coats. They are in the new rough-finished fabrics with large sailor collars trimmed in velvet and satin. New shades of tan and brown. The price will surprise you—only $19.00.

Just Received Hairbow Fasteners

To our many customers who have been waiting for these popular hair ribbon fasteners, we announce that we have received another shipment. While we have plenty of them now, the supply will not begin to meet the demand. The price is only 15c each.

APPRAISERS SUBMIT REPORT TO THE COURT

The Value of Property of Sanatorium Company.

VALUATION REACHES A TOTAL OF $23,018

John D. Owens, Frank Schaffner and D. H. Lincoln Are the Appraisers. Mrs. Mary A. Haberman Begins a Suit for Divorce, Alimony and Custody of Child—Court Notes.

In the suit of Carl W. Sawyer against the Ohio Sanatorium company, in the court of common pleas, the appraisers of the property of the company, John D. Owens, Frank Schaffner and D. H. Lincoln, have filed their report with the clerk of courts

The report shows that the company has real estate to the value of $16,000; cash on hand, $2,486.29; accounts receivable, $458.23; personal estate, $4,073.87, making a grand total of $23,018.39.

Mrs. Mary A. Haberman has begun a suit in the court of common pleas for divorce from John Alfred Haberman. The plaintiff charges the defendant with gross neglect of duty, abuse and intoxication, and in addition to asking for a decree of divorce and alimony, asks the custody of her sixteen-year-old daughter, the sole issue of the union. An injunction restraining the defendant from selling or encumbering his property has been allowed.

Prosecuting Attorney C. L. Justice already has twenty-five transcripts of cases that will come before the grand jury in October This is the largest number of cases coming before that body during the period of the service of the present prosecutor. A number of other cases are being investigated, and it is the opinion of the prosecuting attorney that the number will exceed thirty by the time the grand jury convenes.

PATRICK FARRELL IS VICTIM OF ACCIDENT

Heavy Cable Falls on Victim in Lima.

CONDUCTOR LEDMAN SUFFERS AN INJURY

Is Thrown Against Table in Caboose and Has a Rib Cracked—Is Now Confined to Home by Injuries—W. G. Ernst Victim of Accident. Railway Notes.

Patrick Farrell, an Erie track supervisor, who is well known in Marion, was the victim of a serious accident, in Lima, Monday, as the result of which he will be laid up for several days Farrell was handling some cable while it was being unloaded from a car, and as he was trying to hold a bail up, it slipped and fell upon him. He will be under a surgeon's care for some time

Erie Conductor Dan Ledman, who is known to practically all of the local railroad men, was injured in an accident at Markle early Tuesday morning, and he is now laid up as a result of his injuries The sudden application of the airbrakes, when the engine had become separated from the train, caused such a jar that Ledman was thrown from his feet as he stood in the caboose One rib was cracked and he suffered several serious bruises When he fell he struck against a table

W. G. Ernst, a well-known Erie conductor, suffered a badly bruised knee, while climbing down a ladder between cars, in the West Marion yards, Tuesday He is now at his home in Galion.

A hog special is to be run over the Hocking Valley railroad under the direction of the Coll[illegible] of Agriculture of the Ohio State university, from October 23 to October 27, and lecturers on hog raising will be given at various points along the line. A number of live hogs will be carried on the train for demonstration purposes.

C. S. Plumb and H. E. Evans will give the lectures on hog raising, and O. M. Johnston, M. A. Bachtell, V. H. Davis and J. H. Conley will lecture on soil improvement and horticulture, the lectures to be given on the train with night meetings in the halls at several places. One coach of the train will be reserved for school children, and A. B. Graham, C. R. Titlow and O. M Kile will give agricultural talks.

The train will stop an hour and a half at each place and will start out from Le Moyne where the first lectures will be given. It will be at Upper Sandusky, Tuesday morning, October 24 at 8 o'clock, at Harpster at 9:45 o'clock and at Morral at 11:25 o'clock. The train will reach Marion about noon on that day, but no stop here is scheduled. It will reach Prospect at 1:25 o'clock.

There will be no charges for admission.

For Rifle Shooting.

A number of rifle shooters of the city met, Tuesday evening, at the Gem pharmacy, on west Center street, for the purpose of organizing a rifle club. It was decided at the meeting, Tuesday evening, to form two sides for the purpose of holding shooting contests and the crack rifle shors of the city are invited to join the club. There is a rifle range under the Gem pharmacy and another range under the office of the Ohio Tractor company at which places the contests will be held.

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Extraordinary 2nd Floor Attractions For This Week's Selling--Every One A Remarkable Special

Scan this list carefully for there's items here that you now need and there's savings for this week that you should not miss.

$1.00 House Dresses 69c

Percale House Dresses, mostly light colors, but good all season and, best of all, the best $1.00 House Dress in the store. This week 69c.

$1 New Tailored Waists 69c

300 entirely new tailored Waists, of white dimity, of striped oxford, of imitation French flannel; no end to the pretty styles and absolutely strong $1.00 values, our special price this week 69c.

$4.00 Black Skirts $1.98

New Fall Skirt models of Panama, beautifully silk embroidered, black, blue and brown, a remarkably pretty skirt, and worth $4.00, our special price this week $1.98.

60 More $10.00 New Fall Silk and Wool Dresses $6.95

We announce for this week's selling 60 more of those beautiful Fall Dresses. The waist is of striped messaline silk; the skirt of French serge to match, a very dressy creation. Comes in all the new Autumn shades and black, ladies' and misses' sizes. $10.00 value, this week $6.95.

Broken Lines $1.00 to $2 Tailored Waists 50c

About 75 waists, some are pure linen, others are hand-embroidered linen and there's linene and other white waists, mostly large sizes, but values that were great to sell at $1.00, $1.50 and $2.00, this week 50c.

48 Chiffon Waists Over Silk $5 Values This Week $2.98

A very dressy Waist, of chiffon over china silk. The front is braided in the very newest French effect. Colors, brown, tan, navy, gray, also black, in a most complete range of sizes. This is a splendid $5.00 retailer. You can see its value at a glance. Our this week's price $2.98.

$3 Black Taffeta Silk Waists $1.69

Waists of heavy black taffeta, made with the new kimono sleeve, complete range styles, $3.00 value, this week $1.69.

Handsome Messaline Dresses Worth $18.75 This Week $12.95

New dress models of heavy all-silk messaline, waist handsomely embroidered, black, navy, Copenhagen and old rose, a wonder at $18.75 This week's price $12.95.

Just 18 very fine wash dresses of fine Scotch ginghams, lawns, tissues etc., original prices $5.00 to $8.75 This week $1.39.

4 Suit Wonders For This Week

These four numbers are selected from our immense stock of 600 new Fall Suits especially for this week's selling.

SPECIAL No. 1. $15 Misses Serge Suit $10.95

A snappy suit in storm serge, in navy blue, has one of the deep new collars of black satin, a wonderful $15.00 value, this week, $10.95.

SPECIAL No. 2. $18.75 to $22.50 Suits $14.95

Serges, mixtures, worsteds and embroidered broadcloths, all the new Fall models, and best $18.75 to $22.50, this week $14.95.

SPECIAL No. 3. $29.95 Serge Suit $19.75

Tailored Suits of men's wear serge, navy or black, coat lined with Skinner's satin, all sizes, a suit made to sell for $29.75, our this week's price $19.75.

SPECIAL No. 4. 32.50 Broadcloth Suits 21.50

A handsome Suit of fine imported broadcloth, smooth fine finish, coat lined with Skinners satin, all colors and black, $32.50 value, $21.50.

$3.98 & $5.00 Silk Petticoats $2.69

Persian and plain messalines, black and fancy taffeta, 100 good petticoats that were star numbers at $3.98 and $5.00 This week's sale price $2.69.

$5.00 New Fall Dress Skirts $2.98

200 of them, fine chiffon Panama, beautifully silk embroidered, waist bands, 22 to 36 inches; all lengths, also skirts of fine Vigeroux serge, in a beautiful grey shade, sizes 22 to 36 waist measure a great collection of remarkable $5.00 values For this week's selling $2.98.

Just 24 Wash Dresses of gingham and foulard batiste, dark colors, were $5.00 to $7.50, this week 99c.

Frank Bros. & Co.

The Uhler-Phillips Co.

Our Fair Week Sale of Domestics

It's wonderful the crowds at the counters after these real bargains in staple dry goods. Come in tomorrow.

18c Serpentine Crepes 9½c

A GREAT SPECIAL — About 1,000 yards of genuine new Fall Serpentine Crepes left — in kimono lengths — worth, as you know, 18c yard. "Fair Week" price 9½c.

5000 yards of fresh new American & Simpson Cali's

Every forenoon this week, from 8 until 12 o'clock, we will offer our entire stocks of genuine American and Simpson Calicoes at 4½c yard. (No phone or mail orders, none delivered.) 4½c Yard

LARGE SIZE NEW $1.00 BEDSPREADS 79c.

Hemmed Crochet Bed Spreads, sizes 72 by 86 inches—Marseilles patterns, regular value $1.00—our "Fair Week" price is 79c

$6.00 heavy scalloped Marseilles Bed Sets of spread and bolster cover— at $4.00.

15c EXTRA SIZE HUCK TOWELS, 3 for 25c.

Splendid quality Huck Towels—measuring exactly 44 by 31 inches— a 15c towel—at 3 for 25c.

10c all linen bleached Russian Crash 7c yard.

10c all linen unbleached Crash—18 inches wide—7¾c yard.

6c UNBLEACHED CRASH TOWELING, 3 1-2c Yd.

We will sell while it lasts 500 yards of 18-inch unbleached Crash that's worth 6c at..... 3½c

25c and 28c WIDE SHEETINGS AT 18c and 21c Yd.

81-inch unbleached Sheeting, a good quality that is today worth 25c a yard, at..... 18c

Genuine Lockwood's 81-inch unbleached Sheeting— worth 28c a yard—our "Fair Week" price..... 21c

BEST 10c BLEACHED MUSLIN 7 1-2c Yd.

A quantity of fresh new, very fine quality bleached Muslin —which is as fine and good as Hill's—worth 10c a yard, at 7½c

NEW CRIB BLANKETS—A GREAT SALE AT 16c.

We will put on sale tomorrow 300 splendid White Crib Blankets—size 30 by 40 inches—with pink and blue borders—extra special at 16c

89c New Cotton Blankets at 69c pair—Good Cotton Blankets —55 by 72 inches—at 69c instead of 89c a pair.

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